

# Fire Follows Oil Tank Explosions

## Negotiations Opened in Effort to Induce Pres. Harding to Accept Modified League of Nations

### MOVE MADE BY FRENCH EMBASSY

Paris Reports Negotiations Under Way With State Department at Washington

Effort to induce New President to Favor Acceptance of Modified Draft

PARIS, March 10.—(By Associated Press)—It was stated at the foreign office today that negotiations were under way between the French embassy in Washington and the state department in an effort to induce President Harding to favor acceptance of a modified League of Nations.

The French position is conciliatory and is believed to relate to expressions by officials connected with the present Washington administration, made during the peace conference.

No Comment at Washington  
WASHINGTON, March 10.—(By Associated Press)—Administration officials withheld comment today on the statement made at the French foreign office that negotiations were under way between the French embassy here and the state department with regard to the League of Nations.

### CAT CEMETERY NEEDED

Woman Wanted to Bury Cat in Family Lot in Edson Cemetery

Lowell's latest municipal need is a cat cemetery.

The city's delinquency in this respect was brought to the attention of municipal authorities very forcibly this morning when a well-dressed woman who said she hailed from South Lowell, but who failed to give her name, appeared before the registrar of the board of health and asked if it were necessary to secure a permit to bury a cat in the Edson cemetery.

She said that she had taken care of the cat for a number of years and had cultivated a real affection for it. In addition, she vouched for the animal's intelligence, claiming that it knew more than some human beings.

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### UNFILED ORDERS OF STEEL

NEW YORK, March 10.—The monthly tonnage report of the United States Steel corporation made public today showed 6,232,567 tons of unfilled orders on hand February 28. On January 31, the figure was 7,571,161 tons.

The February total is the smallest of any month since January, 1919, when unfilled orders amounted to 6,654,265 tons.

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### Panama Refuses to Accept White Award

WASHINGTON, March 10.—Panama refused to accept the White award as a basis of peace with Costa Rica, it informs the American government in a note made public today by the state department.

## IRISH CONCERT

Opera House

SUNDAY Mat., 2.15 Night, 8.15

SEATS SELLING FAST—Telephone Orders Held Till Friday Night

### DANCE WITH THE HUSH CLUB

TONIGHT MERRIMACK GARDENS

PRIZE WALTZ—PIVOTING CONTEST

Minor-Doyle Rango Orchestra, featuring for the first time in Lowell Merrimack Gardens and The Frisco Song Whistle. Big crowd last Thursday. (Thank you.)

ADMISSION 35c, TAX PAID

### LECTURE AND CONCERT

SACRED HEART HALL—MOORE STREET

Lecture by Rev. Fr. Murphy, Chaplain State's Prison, Charlestown

TONIGHT AT 8 O'CLOCK SHARP. ADMISSION FREE.

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### NEW CARDINALS CONSECRATED

Three Formally Received Into Sacred College After Brilliant Ceremonies

Three Spanish Prelates to Receive Their Red Hats From King Alfonso

Beautiful Pageant Witnessed by Distinguished Congregation at Vatican

ROME, March 10.—Secular and ecclesiastical Rome today turned its footsteps and thoughts to the Vatican, where three new cardinals were formally received into the Sacred college. This ceremony which has come down virtually unchanged through the centuries, combined the brilliance of the period of Michael Angelo, the atmosphere that ever envelopes the Holy See and the impressiveness that clings to the sacred rites of St. Peter's. Only three cardinals were consecrated today because the three Spanish prelates elevated will receive their red hats from King Alfonso.

Archbishops Dennis J. Dougherty of Lowell and John J. Neenan of Boston

### VETERANS HIT HARD BY BUSINESS DEPRESSION

Lowell veterans of the world war have been hit hard by the profound business depression now existing.

It was learned at American Legion headquarters this morning. Although unemployment conditions have shown a slight improvement, it is stated that many local young men who served the nation in army and navy are now out of a job, and are struggling to find employment. The legion officials, however, are working heroically to meet this situation, and in many instances have provided work for members.

Calls for men have come in from local concerns and have been speedily and satisfactorily filled from the ranks of the local post. Adjutant R. J. Rutledge is in charge of this activity, and has urged all employers of men to communicate with legion headquarters, telephone 8256, if in need of help.

At present there is one vacancy to be filled, and a man acquainted with heating engines and familiar with gasolene engines can have the position by notifying the adjutant.

### FAVOR 44 HOUR WEEK

MONTREAL, March 10.—Following the example of the Printers' Industrial conference, the International Joint conference council of the Printing Trades, also in convention here, endorsed the 44 hour week.

### WHOLE OF RUSSIA IN A FERMENT

Says Message Received by the London Times From Abo, Finland

Three Brigades of Bolshevik Soldiers Desert and Join Revolutionary Forces

LONDON, March 10.—Reports from Russia regarding the revolution against the soviet regime continue to be obscure and conflicting. Z. A. Klenov's despatch from Helsinki, filed yesterday, states the Russian agency has issued a statement that the fate of Petrograd is still in the balance, are denying that revolutionary troops are occupying three-quarters of the city.

The despatch says the insurgents have taken positions in a part of the city which is under fire from Kronstadt and that it is also being shelled by

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### FAVORS KEVILLE FOR U. S. MARSHAL AT BOSTON

WASHINGTON, March 10.—Appointment of William J. Keville of Belmont, Mass., as United States marshal at Boston, was recommended today to Attorney General Daugherty by Senator Lodge of Massachusetts.

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### THIS WEEK

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Last three dividends 5% at the rate of 5%

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### BIG BROOKLYN PLANT IN FLAMES

NEW YORK, March 10.—Fire broke out today in the Standard Oil Co.'s plant in the Greenpoint section of Brooklyn, which more than a year ago was the scene of one of the biggest oil fires in the history of the city. Four tanks were reported to have exploded, endangering others.

The plant, known as the Sonic and Fleming Works, covers a large area. Efforts to draw off the oil from other tanks were made when the wind seemed to be blowing the flames toward them.

BOGUS GUN AND REAL DAGGER

Would-Be-Bad Men From Brooklyn Picked Up By Police

Escaped From State Infirmary—Will Be Sent Back to Brooklyn

Armed with a bogus revolver and a very real dagger, two would-be bad men, Elmer Larsen, 16, and Arthur Hansen, 17, both of Brooklyn, N. Y., were picked up by the local police yesterday after they had fallen into the clutches of the Boston authorities, had been sent to the state infirmary at Tewksbury, and had escaped from that institution. They are now being held pending the arrival of representatives of the Brooklyn police. When arrested in Boston they gave their names as

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### ABANDON ATTEMPT TO FLOAT BIG STEAMER

KENNEBUNKPORT, Me., March 10.—The intended attempt today to float the British steamship Wandby, wrecked on Walker's Point, was abandoned. It is possible an effort may be made about March 23, when there is a high run of tide, and in the meantime the hull which undoubtedly has been badly damaged amidships by the ledges, may be patched.

The lighthouse tenders Hibiscus and Zizania returned to Portland and the tug, J. Mitchell Davies, returned to Portland after remaining through the forenoon in readiness to pull her off on the high tide at noon with the aid of the cutter Osprey.

The Osprey continued to stand by though not able to get within a quarter mile of the Wandby, and will take off the crew of about 30 men if Capt. David Simpson decides to abandon his ship to the undertow.

It was found there was so much water in the hull that it would not be safe to float her even if it had been possible, as she would have sunk in deep water. The engine room was flooded, according to reports reaching shore, the water rising and falling in the ship with the tide, although the engines were working a half-hour early in the forenoon before the tide came in.

Large crowds visited the wreck, the town schools being closed for the day in order that the school children might view it.

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### A Man's Food Should Also Be His Medicine

And the definition of "Medicine" is "A Remedy for Disease." And the best Breakfast Food we know, is CONTENTMENT, for Contentment never lives in the same house with Disease. It's one of the Food mixtures that money will not buy from another, although as the World goes today, a certain amount of money seems essential to Contentment. If a Man or a Woman at 50 years of age, owes no one and has enough money to "see themselves through" they should be Contented. Their cup of joy should be running over for their bottle of Medicine is Full. When old Mother Hubbard went to the cupboard, she found no medicine there and the dog eventually died and Mrs. Hubbard never was Contented afterward. More Contentment, more Medicine can be squeezed from a SAVINGS Account than from any Fruit that grows.

INTEREST will begin on Savings accounts deposited on or before April 1, no limit to amount received, on that date.

MIDDLESEX SAFE DEPOSIT AND TRUST CO.

Merrimack Corner Palmer St.

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## Allied Forces Virtually Complete the Occupation of Rhine Ports of the Ruhr Region

### Trial of Clara Smith Hamon, Accused of Murder, Opens Today



ABOVE—CLARA S. HAMON, BELOW—JAKE L. HAMON, SLAIN OKLAHOMA MILLIONAIRE, AND HIS WIDOW, MRS. JAKE L. HAMON

ARDMORE, Okla., March 10.—All the principal figures in the trial of Clara Smith Hamon, charged with the murder of Jake L. Hamon, oil and railroad magnate and republican national committeeman from Oklahoma, were in readiness for the opening of the trial today.

The attorney general said that an effort would be made to have the court rule that no evidence might be introduced regarding the relations between Hamon and the defendant further back than 20 minutes before the shooting occurred. Counsel for the defense indicated that they might assent to this request.

Mrs. Hamon, widow of the oil magnate, announced her intention of appearing as a witness for the state and attending all sessions of the trial. Before the trial the widow said she regretted she had not taken action years ago, while Clara Smith Hamon was still Clara Smith to end the latter's association with Hamon. Clara Smith obtained the name Hamon by marriage to Frank Hamon, nephew of the man she is accused of killing.

In a statement made in the presence of her father and others, Mrs. Hamon said that she had debated with herself many times whether to throw acid in Clara Smith's face to disfigure her so she would not be beautiful and attract Hamon's attention. With tears in her eyes, Mrs. Hamon said she never could bring herself to that point.

"Oh, if I only had," she repeated.

THE AUDITORIUM

City Auditor Hennessey is authority for the statement that the auditorium enterprise will call for but 43 cents in the tax rate on the present valuation. Only the interest has to be met thus far.

### ASSOCIATE HALL TONIGHT

Campbell's Orch. and James "Roundie" Roane

Same Orchestra as Saturday Nights

ADMISSION 35c, TAX PAID

### BIG ATTRACTION

First Appearance in Two Years of The NATIONAL JAZZ BAND OF BOSTON at ASSOCIATE HALL

FRIDAY NIGHT

### KASINO—SATURDAY NIGHT

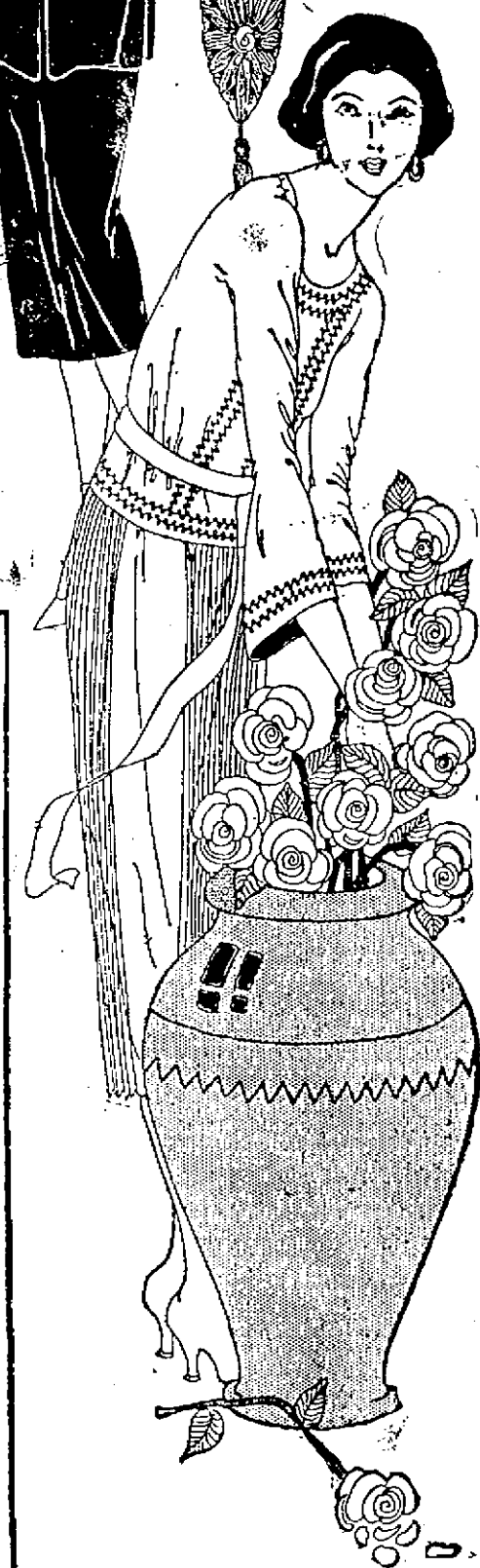
DANNY DUGGAN AND HIS NEW PARTNER

New England Premier Ball Room Dancers

Minor-Doyle's Orchestra Admission 35c, Tax Paid

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*The Bon Marche*  
 DRY GOODS CO.



*Spring*

*Announces its Arrival with a Brilliant  
 Company of Smart New Fashions and Fabrics*

**Spring Opening 1921**

TOMORROW AND SATURDAY

**Coats, Wraps, Suits, Dresses,  
 Millinery and Accessories**

Are here in the latest creations and most wanted reproductions of imported models for spring. Among this most elaborate display you are sure to find those which are to your liking.

You Are Cordially Invited To Inspect Our Stocks, Where Lowest Prices Consistent  
 With Reliability Always Will Be Found

## LEGALIZED GUN TOTERS

Many Ask But Few Are  
Granted Permits to Carry  
a Revolver

Not a single unrestricted permit to carry a revolver has been issued in this city during the past month, it was learned today at the office of the clerk of court. Out of 60 people who asked permission to have a weapon on their persons, only 12 were granted the necessary authorization, and in these instances conditions of time and circumstances were included. No one was permitted to carry a revolver at all times. The successful petitioners were paymasters, express messengers and individuals engaged in similar occupations. It was specified in granting their request that they should only have the weapon on their person when actually pursuing their employment under conditions of possible danger. All applications for permits must be presented before Judge Enright, police court justice, who sits each Monday noon, together with Mayor Perry D. Thompson, for this purpose. At the most recent sitting held March 7, no permits at all were issued. The authorities, it is stated, are determined not to make the present unsettled conditions an excuse for unjustifiable arming of citizens on a wholesale scale. Prior to the system now in effect, it was a function of the chief of police to issue permits to carry revolvers, but now only the mayor and Judge Enright, in joint session, are empowered to confer this privilege.

TRIED TO SELL JAPANESE  
MAPS TO AMERICAN

TOKIO, March 10 (by the Associated Press).—Naval Lieut. Tatsu Hamaguchi was arrested today and handed over to a court martial in connection with an attempt to sell Japanese naval secrets to Captain Edward Howe Watson, at the United States embassy here. Captain Watson, it is said, by the Nishiichi Shimbun, received two letters signed "Goto Yonada," asking for an appointment as the writer desired to sell for 1,000,000 yen Japan's mobilization plans against "a certain country." Secret maps of Formosa and documents showing the depths of various parts of Tokyo bay, were to be included. Captain Watson turned the letters over to the naval authorities.

## GIRLS' CITY CLUB

## BOWLING MATCH

A bowling match between teams from the Girls' City Club of Lowell will be held Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the American Legion headquarters on Dutton street. The club has formed a bowling league composed of six teams numbered one to six, and of these teams 2, 3 and 4 are interested. On Saturday the contest will be between Team 1, captained by Miss Laura Edmunds, and Team 4, captained by Miss Ellen Martin. The winners of the match will compete on the following Saturday with team 5. This last contest will determine the championship of the league. The greatest interest exists in the fortunes of these girls' bowling organizations, and large crowds have attended all their games. Saturday's match will be in the nature of a semi-final, and that between Team 5, captained by Miss Alice O'Brien, and the survivor of this week's match, will end the race for the championship.

## TO CONSIDER NEW

## MARKET OWNERS

It is expected that a change of management, accompanied with the passing of ownership, of Saunders' market, on Gorham street, may take place tomorrow. For some time new control of the big market, one of the oldest and largest in this city, has been under consideration. The present management is entirely in the hands of Lowell people. It is reported that the new interests seeking to obtain a foothold here represent partly out-of-town people.

Beyond the fact that the details of a change of ownership and management will come up for discussion and possible settlement tomorrow, little in the way of positive information regarding the deal was available today at the market.

The daughter of a Parisian artist was married recently in a bridal gown of white satin, uniquely painted by artist friends of her father.

The best preventive of seasickness, says a French physician, is to inhale pure oxygen gas.

CAKE SALE FRIDAY, BY THE AMERICAN LEGION

## NEW SPRING CLOTHES

Spring is near and already women hear the call of the season for new clothes to enliven their good spirits. New clothes symbolize Spring—and women will find most delightful assortments ready for them in our varied display.

## The Decrease in Prices

is so great that any woman can plan with an easy conscience for complete clothes satisfaction this Spring.



## SPRING SUITS

Among the newest arrivals, one sees the new box coats with long hips or finger-length coats with almost invisible belts; beautifully embroidered in soft shades to harmonize or in self color. Some are richly trimmed with heavy flat silk braid. The skirts show the new circular effects and navy is the predominating color for Spring. Stocks are at their first fullness now—immediate choosing will prove most satisfying.

\$14.75 to \$79.50

## NEW BLOUSES

Of pussy willow, georgette, crepe de chine, satin and French voile, in the new shades of rust, caravan, honey dew, porcelain and platinum as well as in white and flesh.

\$2.98 to \$12.50

Children's New Spring  
COATS AND WRAPS

Serge, velour, bolivia and polo cloth make most of the Spring coats for children, while the full backs or belted models are about equally divided. Many new shades of rose, tan, pecan and jade green.

\$5.98 to \$15.98



## SPRING GOWNS

Winsome and charming are the new styles in gowns—they are the very personification of joyous Springtime.

There are Canton Crepe, Pussywillow Silk, Kitten's Ear Satin, Taffetas with flippant ruffles as well as the soft and filmy georgettes, in a rich assortment of grey, brown, tan and navy. Elaborately trimmed or embroidered in gold, rust, caravan or porcelain. Unusual variety of skirt effects.

\$15.00 to \$59.50

## NEW SKIRTS

Higher in favor than it has ever been is the plaid skirt for Spring. We are showing delightful plaids in novelty and Roman stripes, box or side pleated effects. Soft Spring colors and combinations.

\$5.00 to \$23.50



## SPRING COATS AND WRAPS

There is a renewal of favor for short coats and wraps, and as most young women are particularly fond of light, smart wraps, the coats and wraps newly-come to us will make a decidedly favorable impression. Beautiful shades of navy, tan, grey, brown and Harding blue have already shown a preference. Veldyne, Bolivia, Tricotine, Polo and Velour will prove to be the most popular materials.

\$15.00 to \$55.00

## NEW SWEATERS

Most of the effectiveness of the sport costume depends upon the sweater choice. The delightful variety of style and color we are showing in tie-back, tuxedo or coat models will surely interest you.

\$2.98 to \$10.98

## CHILDREN'S NEW SPRING HATS

Very different and very charming are these newly-come hats. There are shapes and styles becoming to every child. The predominating colors are black, navy and tan; everyone adroitly trimmed with flowers or ribbons.

\$1.98 to \$3.98

Grand Union  
Tea Co.

58 Prescott St.

WE SELL FOR LESS

Friday and Saturday  
SPECIALS

GRAPE-FRUIT 2 for 15c	ORANGES 24c Doz.
PURE LARD 16c Lb.	Best Tub BUTTER 52c Lb.
Large White BEANS Per Lb. 5c	ROLLED OATS, Bulk 5c

Del Monte Apricots, No. 2 Can	20c
Del Monte Apricots, No. 2 1/2 Can	23c
Del Monte Peaches, No. 1 Can	19c
Del Monte Peaches, No. 2 1/2 Can	33c

BANANAS, Per Lb. 10c

Grand Union Soap, Powdered,  
Pkg. 40cGrand Union Glycerine Soap,  
3 Cakes 35cGrand Union Pumice Soap,  
3 Cakes 25c

FLOROMA COFFEE, Lb. 45c

Salmon, Pink, Can. 15c

Salmon, Steak, 1/2 Lb. Can, 27c

Sardines, Big Smoke. 10c

## CORSETS

Before selecting your Spring Suit or Gown, it would be to your advantage to get one of our new Spring model corsets. The corset is very important to a woman as it determines her figure and decides her comfort.

Our expert corsetiere can adjust you perfectly as our line includes the popular styles as well as the specialties, also several specially adapted models for stout women.

\$1.50 to \$10.00

Complete line of Bandeaux and Brassieres, including the new Nemo Circle, 50c to \$3.00

## ENVELOPE CHEMISE

Of extra good quality mainsook and daintily trimmed with fish-eye lace and embroidery, cut full with regulation or strap shoulder \$1.00

## FEMININE FOOTWEAR

OF STYLE AND QUALITY

Whether it's a dainty pump you prefer, a smart brown oxford on the latest last or one of the many charming creations in strap effects, you will find we have the shoe that will exactly suit your requirements.

We sell high grade shoes, recognized everywhere as the last word in style. You can see for yourself how well they are made and what good materials were used to produce them. As for service, you have our definite assurance that you can buy nothing better. Every pair marked at the new low market price.

\$5.00 to \$10.00

STREET FLOOR

THE GAGNON  
COMPANY

THE HOME OF THE GREATEST VALUES

Dainty  
NECKWEARThat Seems Part of Springtime  
Itself

The very newest in neckwear is Cretonne Vestees with roll or Peter Pan collars and trimmed with Oriental buttons. Many other style Vestees in corded silk, pique and lace.

\$1.00 to \$3.98

Roll and Flat Collar and Cuff Sets with pleated edges promise to be very fashionable, while the plain pique and lace sets will still be in great demand. Many patterns with embroidered eyelets, 50c to \$1.50

Organdie Collar and Cuff Sets with colored points and fancy stitching are very new and distinctive 50c

## CUT CRYSTAL BEADS 19c

Graduated necklaces in all the shades of beads

HARDING BLUE NECKLACES 49c

Of cut crystal beads with gold clasp.



SUED FOR \$200,000



MISS MARIAN BECKETT

Miss Marian Beckett, artist of New York, has been sued for \$200,000 by Mrs. Clara Steichen, who claims that she stole the love of her husband, Colonel Edward Steichen. Steichen is a well-known artist of New York and Paris. Miss Beckett denies the charge.

## HOW WOMEN AVOID SURGICAL OPERATIONS

Some Are Extremely Necessary, Others May Not Be

Every Woman Should Give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a Trial First



Chicago, Ill.—"I was in bed with a female trouble and inflammation, and had four doctors but none of them did me any good. They all said I would have to have an operation. A druggist's wife told me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I took 22 bottles, never missing a dose and at the end of that time I was perfectly well. I have never had occasion to take it again as I have been so well. I have a six room flat and do all my work. My two sisters are taking the Compound upon my recommendation and you may publish my letter. It is the gospel truth and I will write to any one who wants a personal letter."—Mrs. E. H. HAYDOCK, 6824 St. Lawrence Ave., Chicago, Ill.

A Vermont woman adds her testimony to the long line of those fortunate women who have been restored to health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, after it had been decided an operation was necessary:

Burlington, Vt.—"I suffered with female trouble, and had a number of doctors who said that I would never be any better until I had an operation. I was so bad I could hardly walk across the floor and could not do a thing. My sister-in-law induced me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and it certainly has helped me wonderfully. I keep house and do my work and have a small child. I have recommended Vegetable Compound to a number of my friends and you may publish my testimonial."—Mrs. I. R. SHARON, Apple Tree Point Farm, Burlington, Vt.

In hospitals are many women who are there for surgical operations, and there is nothing a woman dreads more than the thought of an operation, and the long weary months of recovery and restoration to strength if it is successful.

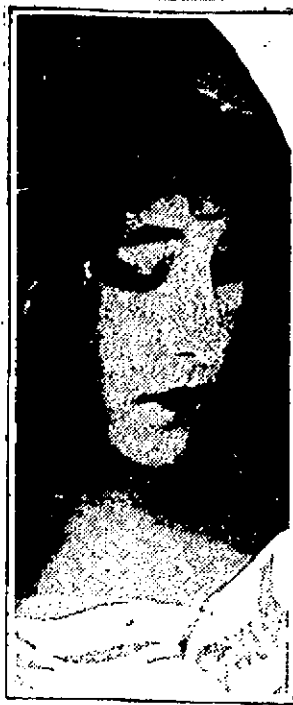
It is very true that female troubles may through neglect reach a stage where an operation is the only resource, but most of the commoner ailments of women are not the surgical ones; they are not caused by serious displacements, tumors or growths, although the symptoms may appear the same. When disturbing ailments first appear take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to relieve the present distress and prevent more serious troubles. In fact, many letters have been received from women who have been restored to health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound after operations have been advised by attending physicians.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Private Text-Book upon "Ailments Peculiar to Women" will be sent to you free upon request. Write to The Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Massachusetts. This book contains valuable information.

## SARRE BROS. SPECIALS

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| Cowhide School Bags .....                   | \$1.98          |
| Cowhide Traveling Bags .....                | \$6.50          |
| Ladies' Colored Silk Umbrellas .....        | \$5.10          |
| Genuine Star Safety Razor .....             | 69c             |
| Genuine Star Shaving Brush .....            | 50c             |
| Key Case for 6 Keys, Individual Hooks ..... | 39c             |
| Dupont School Bags .....                    | \$1.35          |
| 15 Hour Vigil Lamp Candles .....            | 5c              |
| Trunks .....                                | \$6.50 to \$125 |

**SARRE BROS.**  
520 MERRIMACK STREET



BRAZIL'S PRETTIEST

Senorita Camilla Ferreira Da Cunha has been proclaimed, by popular vote, the prettiest woman in Brazil.

## HARDING WITHHOLDS MESSAGE FROM KING

WASHINGTON, March 10.—Messages of solicitation exchanged by President Harding and a number of foreign rulers, expressing hopes for peace and friendship throughout the world, were made public yesterday at the White House.

A note of epigrammatic as well as political co-operation was sounded in the exchange between Mr. Harding and President Millerand of France, while most of the messages that passed with South and Central American presidents voiced a renewed pledge of Pan-American solidarity.

The message reported in press despatches as having been sent by King George of Great Britain and the president's reply to it, were omitted from the list given to the public.

After recalling the famous trials through which France and the United States had passed, President Millerand's message said:

"The solidarity of France and the United States, which so powerfully contributed to their common victory, will also prove their safeguard during peace. The political or economic weakening of either republic would mean impairment of the other. Their interest as well as their sentiment, bids them to stand by each other, and thus we are sure will be perpetuated the noble traditions which for nearly a century and a half have associated our two great democracies for the common good of mankind."

To the French president Mr. Harding replied:

"I thank you sincerely for the cordiality of your appreciated telegram of congratulations and good wishes, and assure you of my abiding friendship for the French republic and of my very genuine wish for the continued promotion of its welfare, and the further strengthening, if possible, of the ties by which the two countries are bound in historic and fraternal friendship."

In addition to President Millerand, whose whose congratulatory expressions were included in the White House announcement were King Albert of Belgium, King Victor Emmanuel of Italy; King Gustaf of Sweden; King Boris of Bulgaria; Sultan Ahmed Ghafor of Persia; President Pessoa of Brazil; President Menéndez of Salvador; President Gorda of Paraguay; President Acosta of Costa Rica; President Bustillos of Venezuela; President Suarez of Colombia; President Orras of Panama; President Brum of Uruguay; President Menocal of Cuba and President Saavedra of Bolivia.

## HAYS USES TAXI

Finds Burleson's Horses and Carriage Too Slow

WASHINGTON, March 10.—Postmaster General Hays taxis about in a cab when he's in a hurry. When he arrives on the job as chief mail man, he found only a carriage and pair provided as his official conveyance, the turnout being well known through eight years' use by Postmaster General Burleson.

An almost forgotten row in congress left no other chariot to the department head, and while other cabinet officers may limousine, landaulet, cabriolet, sedan or otherwise motor about, Mr. Hays taxis when he wants speed.

Teak wood is used mostly in India because it is the only wood that will resist the attacks of the white ants of India.

## HAVERHILL POLICEMAN LOST WEIGHT RAPIDLY

Started Taking Re-Nu-Yu—Found He Gained Steadily in Weight and Appetite

Eugene L. Radcliffe, 132 Main street, who is one of the popular and efficient officers of the Haverhill Police Department, gives to Re-Nu-Yu full credit for his present good health, as is shown by the following letter, which we give in his own words: "A short time ago I was losing weight very fast and nothing seemed to be able to stop this until I tried Re-Nu-Yu. After taking the first bottle I gained two pounds and have gained steadily ever since. It increased my appetite and made me feel better." Signed: Eugene L. Radcliffe.



EUGENE L. RADCLIFFE

## NERVOUS SYSTEM SHATTERED

"Fruit-a-tives", or Fruit Liver Tablets Gave Relief

885 GRANT ST., BUFFALO, N. Y.  
"I have been Paralyzed on the whole right side since April 30th. I referred the case to a physician who wrote me, advising the use of 'Fruit-a-tives'."

I would not be without 'Fruit-a-tives' for anything; no more strong cathartics or salts; no more bowel trouble for me.

I recommend 'Fruit-a-tives' to all. I feel more like 40 than 62, which I have just passed."

WM. H. OSTRANDER.

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## SPEAKER LORING YOUNG PRAISES WILSON

BOSTON, March 10.—In an informal address before the members of the Boston Shoe Trades Club at a luncheon held yesterday afternoon at 24 High street, Speaker Loring Young of the house of representatives gave an outline of the financial problems that made necessary the \$10,000,000 budget for the ensuing year.

Mr. Young said that 40 per cent of this amount is consumed by state institutions, but that it is an impossibility to cut down this item, as it would mean that mentally deficient and diseased persons would be left at large. He also spoke on the impressions he gained as a witness of President Harding's inauguration. In part he said:

"The simplicity and solemnity of the occasion left a great impression on me. It seemed to bring out more strongly the problems that confront the new administration. The support of every one is needed in this time of stress, with the world war not yet settled, a new frame springing up in Central America, the Japanese war once more looming to the forefront, and our own domestic troubles crowding on the stage."

"The broken, bent frame of Woodrow Wilson, racked by physical illness, whose mental and moral courage was always of the highest sort, should inspire the admiration and respect of every true American. His name will live forever in our history. He was a great man."

Herbert T. Drake, president of the New England Shoe and Leather association, and Senator E. T. Wright also spoke. Charles T. Cahill, president of the club, presided over the meeting, at which nearly 200 members were present.

## PERSHING FAVORS PHYSICAL TESTS

WASHINGTON, March 10.—An annual survey through local and state health boards to determine the physical condition of the young men of the country was advocated by Gen. Pershing yesterday in addressing the student body of a local high school. Citing statistics showing that 60 per cent of the men examined for military service under the draft were physically defective, Gen. Pershing said an annual check on the physical condition of the country's young men would go far toward improving the health average.

## ARGUMENTS IN DR. DONLAN CASE

BOSTON, March 10.—The full bench of the state supreme court yesterday heard arguments on a petition by Dr. John E. Donlan for a writ of prohibition to prevent the Boston city council from removing him from the position of superintendent of the almshouse and hospital on Long Island.

Dr. Donlan claims that the city council had no jurisdiction in the complaint made against him by the trustees of the hospital because the board of trustees at the time did not have two women members, as required by statute.

## EDWARDS TO BE MAJOR GENERAL

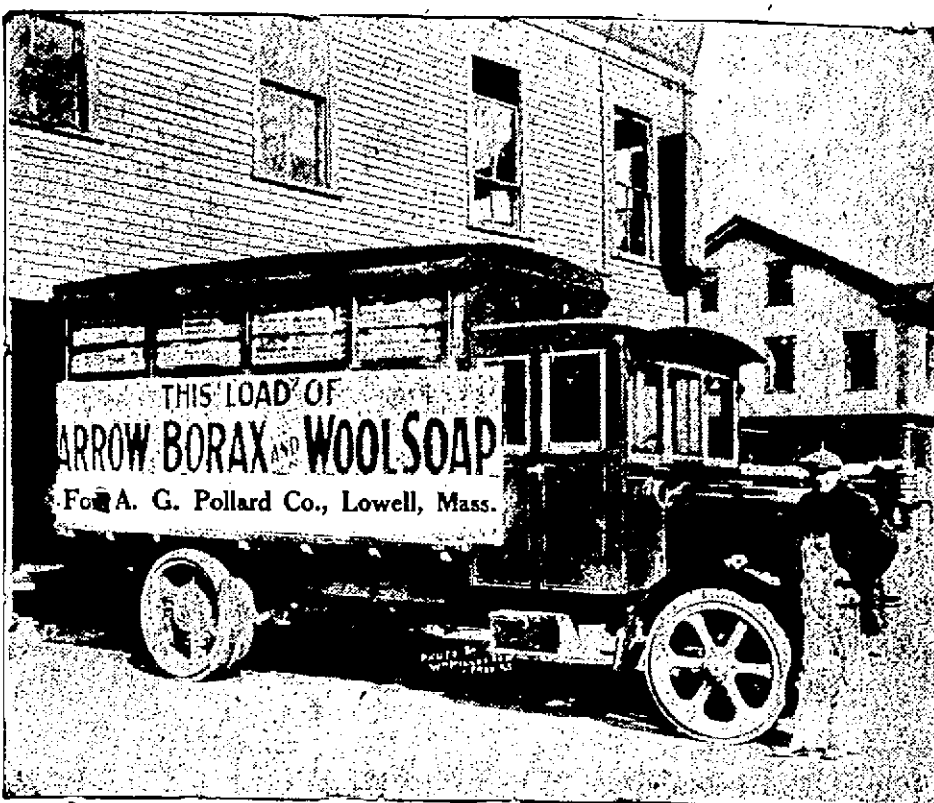
WASHINGTON, March 10.—It is reported in war department circles, but not verified by the secretary of war, that the nomination of Brig. Gen. Clarence H. Edwards to be a major general will be sent by the president to the senate some time next week.

The president acts on the recommendation of the secretary of war, and Sec. Weeks declined yesterday to comment on the report.

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## ATTEMPT TO SEIZE LIQUORS FRUSTRATED

BOSTON, March 10.—Plans of South Boston gangsters to remove liquor valued at more than \$500,000 from a warehouse where it is stored after seizure by Prohibition Enforcement Agent William J. McCarthy, were frustrated last night, the police announced.

Acting on information given to Richard I. Peterson, manager of the warehouse, Capt. Skittings of the Dudley street station detailed a squad of men to guard the building. Meanwhile a telegram was sent to Prohibition Director Kramer at Washington requesting him to provide for the protection of the liquor.

Mr. Beranson told the police that Tuesday night he received "reliable information" that attempts would be made to seize the liquor before Saturday night. He said the pass word used by federal agents who bring

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## BLOSSOM SEELEY WEDS AGAIN

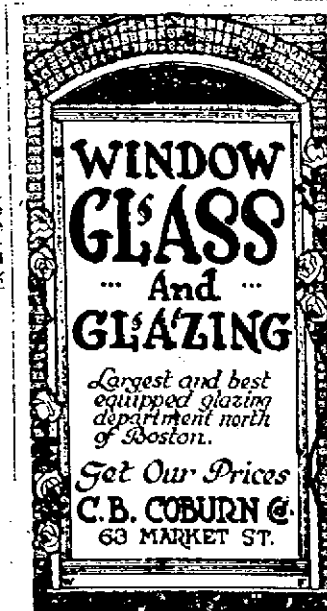
ST. PAUL, Minn., March 10.—Blossom Seeley, vaudeville actress, yesterday announced her marriage to Benjamin E. Gelsenfeld of Milwaukee, her dancing partner, known on the stage as Benny Fields. A civil ceremony was performed in Chicago three weeks ago and the religious ceremony was held here yesterday. Mike Seeley formerly was the wife of Rube Marquard, major league pitcher.

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## BURNING AND DESERTED

## Stolen Auto Found in Billerica Stripped of Chains, Tires and Robe

After inspecting his Grant roadster, which was stolen last evening and later found burning and deserted near Sprague's bridge, in North Billerica, Mr. Herbert Harris of 32 Georgia avenue, reported to the police this morning that a set of chains, 32 by 4, two inner tubes, a black and green plush robe, and one spare tire, 32 by 4, had been stolen from the car by the thieves before it was left blazing on the Boston road. Harris left his car standing in front of the Highland club, and found shortly after 8 o'clock yesterday evening that it had been taken. A hurry call was despatched to the police, who communicated the information to the authorities of the surrounding towns. Two hours later the North Billerica fire department reported the machine as found badly damaged by fire, and standing deserted near the Sprague bridge. No one was discovered in the vicinity of the machine. Whether the thieves intended to destroy the roadster to cover up their depredations in the matter of chains, tube, tire and robe, has not been determined. The affair is the second achievement of auto thieves in Lowell since the beginning of the week. On Sunday evening a Ford touring car, the property of Hector Patnaude of North Billerica, was stolen while parked on Kirk street. Later two armed holdup men relieved Joseph P. Donnelly, a Lynn automobile dealer of 472 while he was repairing his machine by the roadside in an outlying section of North Andover. They approached and made their getaway in a car corresponding with that taken from Patnaude. Later Patnaude's car was recovered in South Boston.

## WINTER RHEUMATISM

Winter is a hard season for sufferers from rheumatism, not only on account of the cold and dampness but on account of the thinking of the blood that occurs with most people in the winter season. In fact, some forms of rheumatism occur only in winter, the patient being free from rheumatic pains during the other seasons of the year. The taking of a tonic to enrich the blood will hasten recovery in many cases.

Most of the treatments of rheumatism are directed at the symptoms and are considered successful if they relieve the pain and stiffness. But the blood has not been purified and the rheumatism is sure to return, especially after a season of exposure to cold and dampness.

Mr. William T. Atwood of No. 57 Jenny street, New Bedford, Mass., was a sufferer from general debility and rheumatism until he tried Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. He says: "I was run down and debilitated and had a soreness and sharp pains in my knee. The first box of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills helped me and I took five boxes altogether. They did all that was claimed for them and I have recommended them to a number of people. I shall use the pills every spring and whenever I feel that I need a tonic."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People are sold by your own druggist or will be sent direct by mail, postpaid, on receipt of price, 50 cents per box. Write to the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y., for free booklet, "Building Up the Blood," containing a special chapter on rheumatism.—Adv.

## Your Skirt Musn't Pass 10-Inch Deadline!



The "ten-inch deadline" for skirts is decreed by the Fashion Art League of America.

It seems at first blush that this would make the skirts of short women too short and the skirts of long women too long. But it doesn't.

The league says that all women, short and tall, are about the same height from heel to knee and thus the ten-inch deadline is fair to all.

Besides styles are designed to make the short skirt look long.

The young woman to the right wears a suit of knitted silk fabric in striped effect and black velvet in combination. Maybe it's the striped effect or the velvet, but her skirt hem looks closer to the ground than ten inches.

The girl on the left, with the stripes, wears a navy blue tulle and the stripes are gray satin. The slip gives the

skirt appearance of length.

That's eyelet embroidery on gray canton crepe the girl in the center is wearing. This pique look is worn over a slip of navy blue satin.

These are the latest things in spring styles.

And, by-the-by, the all white bridal gown is passe. They're showing 'em now in green chiffon and white and other color combinations.

## SUGGESTS MOTOR

## SAFETY CAMPAIGN

Despite the fact that Lowell has made an excellent showing in the matter of reducing motor vehicle accidents as low as possible, Frank A. Goodwin, state registrar of motor vehicles, evidently believes that there is still opportunity for improvement here for he has written to Mayor Perry D. Thompson suggesting that the latter initiate a "motor safety campaign" in this city during the first week of April.

Mr. Goodwin writes that there has been an alarming increase in motor accidents in Massachusetts during the past year and cites various figures to prove his contention. He says that drastic measures are necessary and inasmuch as the automobile season opens around the first of April, he believes the first week of that month a psychological time for conducting a campaign to impress upon the public, both pedestrians and drivers, the necessity for care and due caution on the public highways.

Mayor Thompson has taken the matter under consideration and will probably take the necessary steps to carry out Mr. Goodwin's suggestion.

## Demobilization of Costa Rican Army

SAN JOSE, Costa Rica, March 10.—Demobilization of the Costa Rican army which crossed the Panama frontier and drove forces of that country back for upwards of 25 miles, has been ordered by the government. The soldiers who captured Almirante and later retired in conformity with the request of the United States, arrived at Puerto Limon on board a steamer today. The Costa Rican units which were attacking the Panamanians near Coto, on the Pacific end of the frontier, are on their way back to Punta Arenas. Advices received here state they had succeeded in cutting off the Panamanian forces there, but retired as soon as orders were received. There is much favorable comment on the action of the new American administration in quickly ending the conflict with Panama.

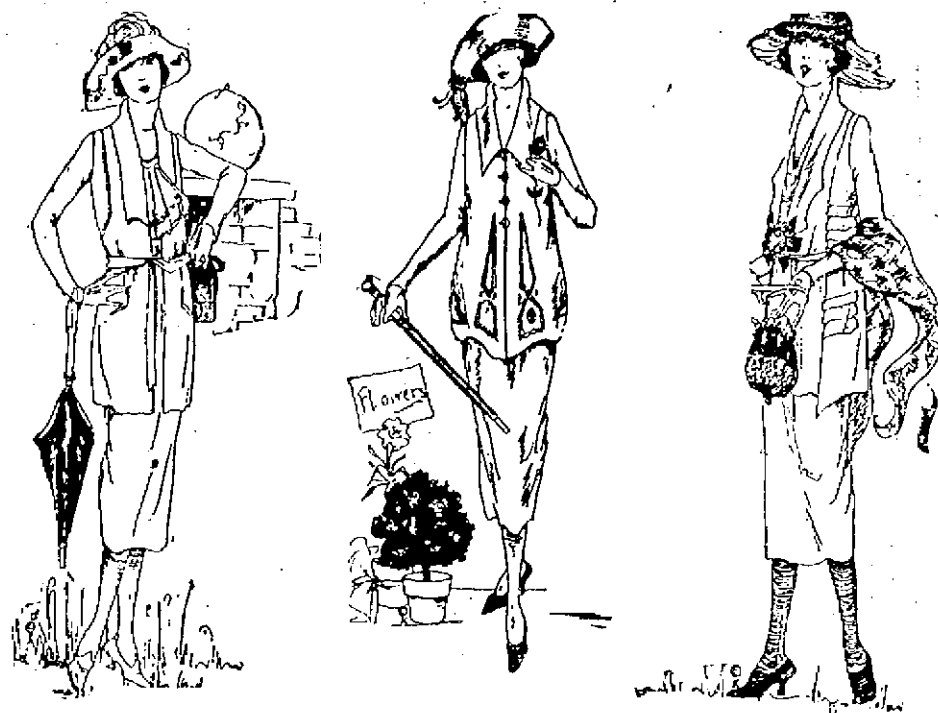
## Austria Complies With Allied Demand

VIENNA, March 9.—A demand for immediate delivery of all the military material not yet surrendered under the treaty of St. Germain, was made by the allied representatives here today and it is understood the cabinet agreed to comply with the demand unreservedly. It is believed the action of the allied representatives was inspired by the German situation, coupled with the long delay in delivery and the more or less passive resistance to this feature of the treaty.

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Fresh Sliced Halibut, lb.	39c
Sliced Boston Bluefish, lb.	15c
Sliced Steak Cod, lb.	15c
Sliced Whitefish, lb.	15c
Sliced Haddock, lb.	15c
Large Fancy Smelts, lb.	25c
Finnish Haddock, lb.	15c
Cod Cheeks	19c
Mussels, qt.	10c
Shelled Clams, qt.	12c
Scallops, lb.	69c
Clams, qt.	50c
Oysters, qt.	79c
Spaw	25c
Live Lobsters	49c
Boiled Lobsters	55c
Fresh Red Salmon	28c
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## Move by French Embassy

Continued  
to the acceptance by the United States of a modified league of nations. The impression was given, however, that the initiative in any such development rested entirely with the French government and that in any event the matter had not yet reached the stage of negotiations.

Mr. Hughes refused to discuss the question. It became known, however, that on last Tuesday he had a half-hour talk with Ambassador Jusserand. Mr. Jusserand is the dean of that corps and at the time it was understood that the visit had to do largely with the reception of the envoys. Whether the subject of the League of Nations was broached has not been made known. President Harding has indicated all along that his first step, in foreign affairs, would come after the formulation on a definite reconstruction program and that nothing formal would be done until the attitude of foreign governments had been felt out through unofficial channels.

He already has received considerable information through his unofficial sources regarding the feeling of European statesmen and it is expected that he will make a still more exhaustive investigation before he launches his foreign program. Whatever steps France and other nations take to inform him voluntarily are expected to fit in with his general plan of procedure.

## Crissinger Named Comptroller

WASHINGTON, March 10.—D. R. Crissinger of Marion, Ohio, was nominated today by President Harding to be comptroller of the currency. Mr. Crissinger will succeed John Skelton Williams, who resigned two days before the Harding administration began. He is a lawyer and banker and life-long friend of the president.

## Railway Strike Continues in Mexico

MEXICO CITY, March 9.—The railway strike, which for two weeks has seriously disorganized traffic in Mexico, is still in effect. Government officials expressed belief today that an adjustment would be reached this week.



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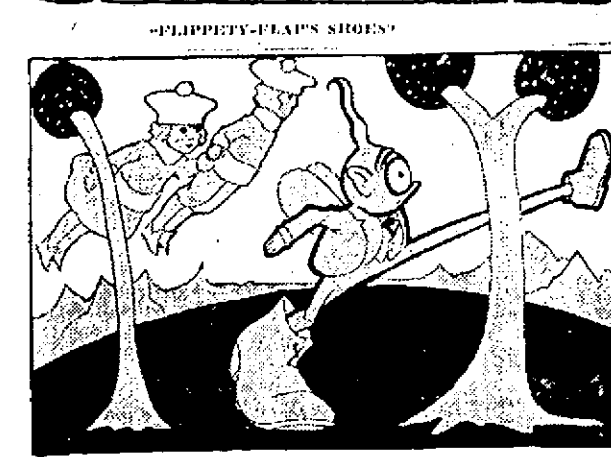
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# ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

by Olive Roberts Barton



AS FOR THE OCEAN, FAIRYMAN STRODE RIGHT OVER IT, TOO.

Soon the twins, accompanied by Flimpey-Flap, the fairyman, were on their way to hunt the circus animals. Mind you, the whole lot of them had escaped, having been set loose by the gnomes.

"Now, then, let's see," said the fairyman, sitting down suddenly and looking at the sole of one of his immense shoes. "I keep all my notes and memoranda here. It's so convenient. And I've written down the name of every creature that used to be in the circus—his address, too. But I don't know, the names of some of 'em are so enormous there wouldn't be enough shoes in the whole world to hold 'em. Take the elephant, for instance, his name is Rajah Singh. Allah Singh Mochapootra Lalabuggastan."

"What did you say?" asked Nancy.

"Lands o' goodness! I can only say it once in a day," replied the fairy. "The circus people called him 'Squeek' for short."

"Why?" asked Nick.

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"It seemed to help me immediately. My nerves gradually became strong and calm. All my foolish fears disappeared and I could feel myself gaining strength every day.

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If you are one of those who left the farm to earn big wages in the mills and factories of New England, you realize how good a little farm in Canada would look right now. There, as your own master, you will be sure against unemployment in a few years you may be independently well-off. There your wife and children may enjoy the healthy, happy, out-door life which means so much to them. You should have saved enough now to

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If your means will not permit you to buy an established farm, Ontario and Quebec offer great fertile regions where the pioneer can homestead and make a fortune and family and independence are to be won by those who will put forth the effort. Every branch of agriculture may be followed in these provinces; dairying and stock raising are particularly successful.

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"Indigestion had such a stubborn hold on me I didn't know what it was to sit down and eat a meal in peace. Gas would choke me all the time, and make me feel miserable and I had cramps in my stomach that were just about as severe as a man can stand.

I was in an awful nervous strain night and day and didn't know what sound sleep was. In the morning I felt stiff and ached and had sharp pains all through my shoulders. My back hurt terribly and during the day it was all I could do to stay at work.

"But to look at me now you couldn't tell there was ever anything the matter with me. Tanlac couldn't have fit my case better. Why, in a month's time it fixed me up in fine shape. My appetite is a wonder and I have been built up all around and have even picked up a few pounds in weight. I am feeling fine and don't mind a hard day's work, and this good old Tanlac is responsible for it all."

Tanlac is sold in Lowell by Green's Drug store, under the personal direction of a special Tanlac representative, by Wright Drug Co., Holliston, Mass., Shaw's Pharmacy, Concord, Mass., and by the leading druggist in every town.—Adv.

## FLORENCE CRITTENTON RESCUE LEAGUE

The annual business meeting of the Florence Crittenton Rescue league was held at the Y.W.C.A., Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock. The following officers and directors were elected for the coming year: President, Mrs. Alice Rogers Plummer, 1st Vice President, Mrs. George J. Van Dusen; second Vice President, Mrs. Brooks Stevens; secretary, Mrs. Burdette J. Bennett; treasurer, Miss Alice Howell. Directors: Mrs. Alice Rogers Plummer, Miss Helen Buttrick, Mrs. G. H. Jeannison, Mrs. J. E. Gibson, Mrs. C. H. Nelson, Mrs. J. L. Robertson, Mrs. E. N. Sleeper, Miss Alice Howell, Miss Belle Shedd, Mrs. G. H. Van Dusen, Mrs. Brooks Stevens, Miss Emily M. Skilton, Mrs. B. R. Benner, Mrs. A. D. Miliken, Miss Alice Parker, Mrs. A. C. Perham.

Other matters of business were discussed and many suggestions of interest were given.

The report of Miss Inah G. Lowell, who succeeded Miss Leslie Adams, now Mrs. Arnold Peckham, as the welfare worker and special policeman of the Florence Crittenton Rescue league, was read, as follows:

From June 15th, 1920 to March 1st, 1921.

Office calls—517.  
Calls on girls and families, 119.  
Girls placed, 32.  
Assisted in finding missing girls—8.  
Physicians and hospitals visited—31.  
Unmarried mothers aided—3.  
Pastors consulted—7.  
Court cases—25.  
Arrests and assisted in making arrests—13.

Visits to summer playgrounds and municipal bath house—12.  
Visits to theatres, moving picture houses, and dance halls—42.  
Visits to Middlesex railroad station—27.  
Visits to stores, for Christmas shopping—3.  
Conferences with workers, meetings and classes attended and talks given—71.

Visits have been made to the Monson State Hospital for Epileptics, Palmer, Mass., State Industrial School for Girls, Lancaster, Mass., State Farm, Bridgewater, Mass., House of Correction, East Cambridge, State Hospital for Crippled Children, Canton, Mass., all in the interest of girls and one boy.

We have had nine girls at the Florence Crittenton Shelter the past year, but our court cases, the other two for care keeping, until homes could be provided.

We have been very fortunate in having the privilege of placing seven patients who were unable to pay for treatment. In the free bed of the St. Anne's Episcopal church at the Lowell General hospital. We were successful in having ten free examinations and consultations from our local physicians, and one operation performed, and also four free tests, one girl taken to glasses at cost, paid by the Florence Crittenton league. Three girls were placed in the Florence Crittenton Home of Compassion in Boston. One little boy was sent to the Hospital School for Crippled Children. Several cases were referred to the genito urinary clinic.

Among the girls who come to us are those who have not been arrested but who need advice and care. These are placed on the voluntary probation list, which was organized by the former worker, Mrs. Peterson. As a part of the probation, we find it helpful to the girl to co-operate with the church of her affiliation. As a result four girls who were not attending, are now regular attendants, and through the interest of the girls, two mothers and four boys are attending, and several families are being looked after by interested workers, of their faith.

Several girls and one boy, under 15 who were not attending school, were reported to the truant officer, and placed in day school, or continuation school.

Advertisements of questionable nature have been investigated, which have proved in each case worthy of our attention. Several interesting cases were mentioned in detail, which proves that the work among our girls is really worth while.

We would like to take this opportunity to thank the pastor and people of St. Anne's church for the use of their free bed at the Lowell General hospital, and the physicians who have so generously given their services, to aid the suffering, and to all others who have helped us in carrying on the work of the Florence Crittenton league.

Respectfully submitted,  
INAH G. LOWELL.

## Doctor Prescribes D.D.D. for Banker

Write to H. J. Bowers, Cashier First National Bank, Tracy City, Tenn.

"The worst case of Eczema I believe anyone ever experienced. Was settled by D.D.D. Sent for by doctor. He recommended Three Dr. Mercel's relief from the very first application."

Respectfully submitted,  
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## LEGAL RESTRICTIONS ON SEALS REMOVED

ST. JOHN'S, N. E., March 10.—All legal restrictions for the protection of seals have been removed from the operations of the Newfoundland sealing fleet which sailed from here today on its annual hunt. Nine steamers made the start, eight for the northeast coast of the colony and one for the gulf of St. Lawrence. The work among the treacherous ice floes is dangerous and it is seldom that a season passes without some loss in the fleet.

Because the last two seasons were the most disastrous on record from the point of view of total catch and net value of seal products obtained, the government decided to suspend for this year the protective laws designed to prevent too serious depletion of the seal herds. In 1919 eleven vessels brought back 241,392 seal pelts with a net value of \$612,452. Last year the fleet of nine vessels obtained only 33,953 pelts with a net value of \$159,949.

The open season, legally from March 14 to April 30, is extended to May 1, with permission to take any seals found before March 14. Guns may be used to kill seals in the water; hood seals, an almost extinct variety which has been protected for several years, may be taken, and a second trip made to the sealing fields.

It had been planned to use an airplane to scout for seal herds, but the plane met with a minor mishap at Botwood, on the northeast coast, a few days ago and it is feared needed repairs which cannot be obtained in time to enable it to assist in the sealing operations.

## DETROIT UNIONS IGNORE GOMPERS' REPRIMAND

DETROIT, March 10.—A reprimand by Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, for what he termed support of the Russian soviet government by the Detroit Federation of Labor, has been followed by a vote that a representative of the local federation be sent to Moscow to attend a labor congress fostered by the soviet government and scheduled to open on May 1.

In his letter to the Detroit Federation, Mr. Gompers charged members with being "servants of the soviet government" and recommended that they occupy themselves "with organizing unorganized workers instead of spreading the doctrines of Lenin and Trotsky."

The criticism was the outgrowth of a request by Frank X. Macel, business representative of the Detroit organization that the executive board of the American Federation of Labor use its influence for removal of trade restrictions against Russia. Such a request, Mr. Gompers declared, had come to him from no other labor unions than those in or near Detroit.

You'll never know how quickly a bad cough can be conquered until you try this famous old home-made remedy. Anyone who has coughed all day and all night, will say that the immediate relief given is almost like magic. It takes but a moment to prepare, and really there is nothing better for coughs.

Info a pint bottle, put 2 1/2 ounces of Pinex; then add plain granulated sugar syrup to make a full pint. Or you can use clarified molasses, honey, or corn syrup, instead of sugar syrup. Either way, the full pint takes about two-thirds of the money usually spent for cough preparations, and gives you a more positive, effective remedy. It keeps perfectly, and tastes pleasant—children like it.

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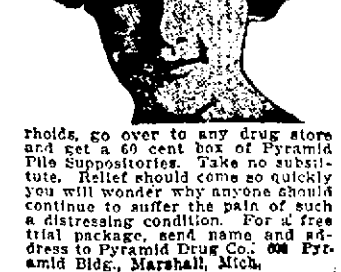
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## STUMP SAVED HIS LIFE

Man Hangs Half an Hour on Side of Precipice—Smokes to Pass Away Time

BRATTLEBORO, Vt., March 10.—Ralph Bullard of Holyoke, Mass., traveling salesman for a drygoods house, had a thrilling experience near West Townsend yesterday in which he performed a movie stunt.

He was on his way up the West River branch of the Central Vermont railroad, and on reaching West Townsend, where the ice had damaged the railroad so that it was necessary to transfer passengers for some distance, he decided that he would save time by making a short cut up over a hill on top of a high precipice.

He slipped and fell, landing astride a tree stump on the side of the precipice, far above the highway. He remained in his perilous position half an hour, meanwhile resorting to his pipe as a solace, until discovered by Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Stratton, who were out looking at the high water.

Mr. Stratton cut for a rope, and a crowd soon gathered. Among them was Morris O'Donnell of Brattleboro, a telephone lineman, who, with the aid of a rope and some small boys, hoisted Mr. Bullard up to firm footing.

Camphor is now made from turpentine by a synthetic process.

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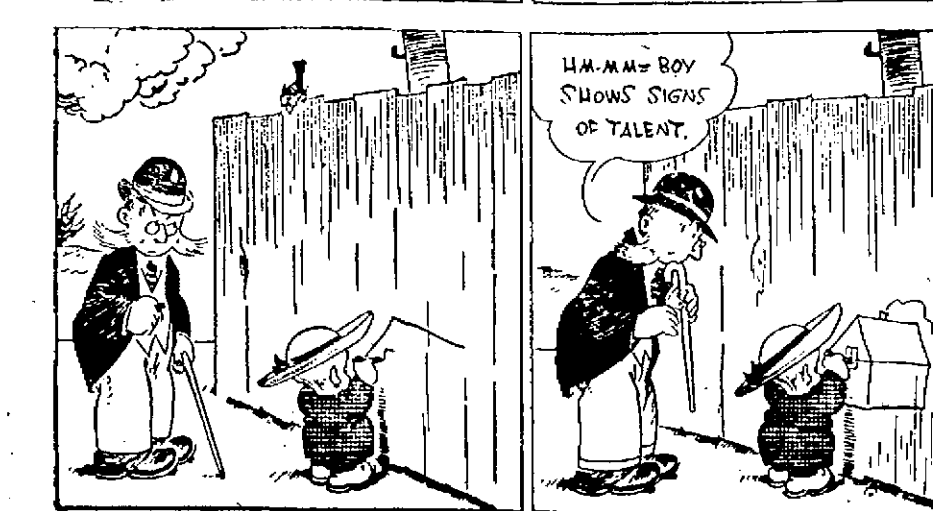
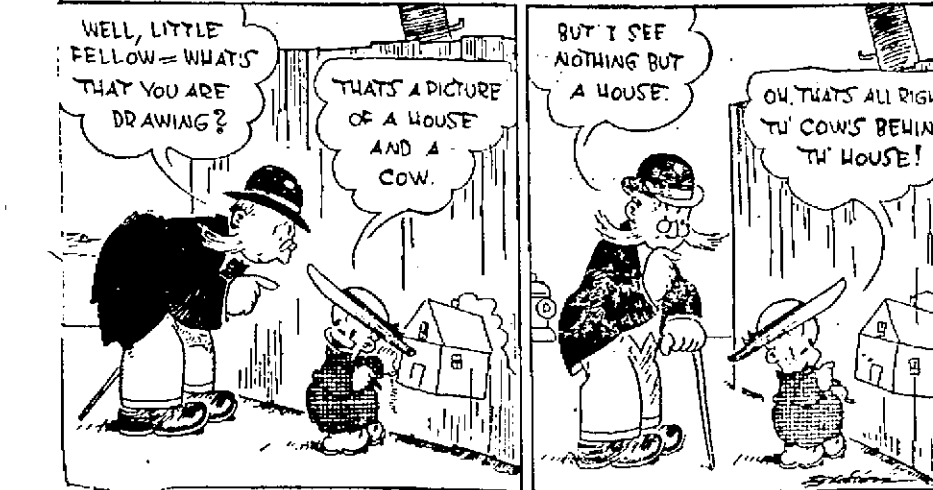
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That dull depression, that dragged out spiritless condition—it's biliousness.

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## DOINGS OF THE DUFFS



## If Census-Taker Missed You, Polk Has Cause and Cure



R. L. POLK, WHO SAYS: "ONE FAULT OF THE FEDERAL CENSUS IS THAT IT'S TAKEN IN WINTER. SUMMER IS A BETTER TIME FOR THIS WORK."

(By Newspaper Enterprise)  
DETROIT, March 10.—Were you counted? Were all your relatives and friends counted?

If you weren't—if they weren't—you have a personal as well as a patriotic interest in this indictment of Uncle Sam as a census-taker, made by R. L. Polk, 71-year-old head of the largest directory publishing company in the world.

"The government census taken every ten years is grossly inaccurate. A better job would be done if the government put the job in the hands of experts."

Polk suggests the Association of North American Directory Publishers. "It's quite possible that within the next ten years so much discontent with the last census will be voiced, and such a demand will be made generally for an accurate census, that the government will ask the association to direct the work," Polk says.

### Veterans at Work

Polk knows all about census taking. From a beginning as a 12-a-week directory canvasser, when he was 20, he has built up a concern which publishes more than 500 directories.

Polk puts out directories for 32 of the 65 American cities with more than 100,000 residents. These include New York, Detroit, Cleveland, St. Louis, Baltimore, Pittsburgh, Los Angeles, New Orleans, Milwaukee and Washington.

From as far south as Honolulu, Hawaii, to as far north as Alaska, his 1400 employees are at work.

The directories' population totals for cities and states are usually 10 per cent higher than those of the census bureau, and are the more accurate, Polk asserts.

### FRATERNAL NEWS

The regular meeting of Lowell lodge 618, Loyal Order of Moose, was held last evening in Odd Fellows' building.

Middlesex street, with Dictator Ernest P. Parsons in the chair. Routine business was transacted and a feature of the evening was the election of officers, which resulted as follows:

Edward St. Leger, dictator; David A. Hartnett, vice dictator; William Booth, prelate; John M. Hogan, treasurer; Patrick R. Monahan, trustee; Arthur J. Bernard, pianist; Ernest P. Parsons, delegate to supreme lodge; James W. McKenna, alternate.

The installation will take place on the evening of March 23. At the close of the business session a social hour was held and entertainment numbers were given by Al. Forest, Edward Donahue, James E. Donnelly, Dewine, sisters.

Thomas A. Green, Stephen Anderson and John J. Driscoll.

Ladd and Whitney Circle

Routine business was transacted and the following committee were appointed at the regular meeting of Ladd and Whitney circle, 5, Ladies of the G.A.R., which was held last evening: Executive, Mrs. Alice Davis, chairman; Mrs. Albert Davis, Mrs. Mabel Kennedy, Mrs. Mary Mack and Mrs. Blaisdell; finance committee, Mrs. Stone, chairman; Mrs. Dickmann and Mrs. Peabody; visiting committee, Mrs. Bryant, chairman; Mrs. Gardner, Mrs. Alice Davis, Mrs. Stone and Mrs. Alice Phelps; relief committee, Mrs. Gardner, chairman; Mrs. Clark and Mrs. Boynton.

An invitation from B. F. Butler Relief Corps was read and accepted.

Foresters of America

The committee composed of members of the local courts of the Foresters of America, having in charge the grand class initiation which will be held Sunday afternoon, March 20, in Odd Fellows' building, Middlesex street, has been kept on the jump the past three weeks, making plans and attending to the rehearsal of the degree team, which will carry out the initiation ritual. A rehearsal will be held this evening after the meeting.

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For Three Days, Commencing  
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Your choice of these suits as per illustrations selling  
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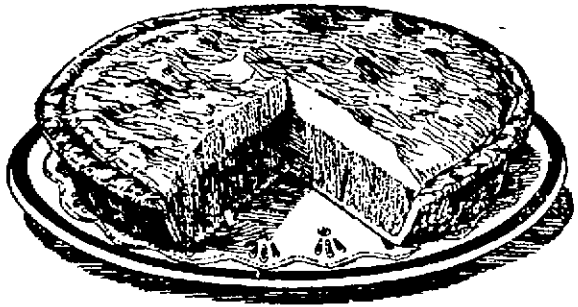
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## One Pie FREE

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## Real Lemon Pie or Chocolate—almost ready-made

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In this quick way you get the most delicious Lemon Pie that expert cooks can make. And Lemon is the queen of pies. Think how often you can serve it when so easily prepared.

So with Jiffy Chocolate Pie. The ingredients all come in the package.

### We buy one pie

Buy from your grocer 3 packages Jiffy-Jell in any fruit flavors you like. The flavors, you know, come in vials.

Then present this coupon and your grocer will give you one

Jiffy-Pie, Lemon or Chocolate. He will charge the pie to us.

Accept this offer. Serve one pie as our treat, and learn what delicious new dessert we have created for you. Cut out coupon now.



### GOOD FOR ONE PIE

Insert your name and address, then present this coupon to your grocer. Buy three packages Jiffy-Jell and he will give you one free one package Jiffy-Pie.

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of Court Gen. Shields in Grafton hall and every member of the degree team is expected to be present. Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock a dress rehearsal will be held in Odd Fellows' building when all details will be gone over with the officers and secretaries of the various courts.

The card games organized by the committee are taking up a great deal of the spare time of the members and great rivalry exists between the teams of the different courts. Court Middlesex expects to have a social hour at the sunnyside meeting later this month and plans for the affair are now under way.

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### APPEAL TO HARDING TO HALT WAGE CUT

OMAHA, Neb., March 10.—President Harding was appealed to last night by representatives of packing house employees in a telegram requesting that he try to prevent a proposed reduction of wages and readjustment of working hours, which have been announced by meat packers to become effective March 14.

Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, was asked in another telegram to go to the White House, as the representative of the Meat Cutters' union, and urge immediate action. He was asked also to call a meeting Monday in Chicago of all allied unions working for the packers to outline concerted action in event of a strike.

Suggest Federal Control

Delegates to the conference here called by the Amalgamated Meat Cutters and Butchers Workmen of North America, voted unanimously yesterday to appeal to the president to demand abrogation of the war-time agreement between the packers and their employees.

The conference also adopted a resolution requesting the president to "use his good offices to compel the packers to comply with the agreement entered into with the government," and urges that unless the packers consent, he "exercise his power to place the packing house industry under government control and operation and publicly brand the present owners and managers of the industry as a menace to the government and society in general."

means authorization for a strike affecting all packing house employees of the United States and Canada.

The delegates present were unanimously in favor of striking if the changes announced by the packers are put into effect, according to Mr. Lane. A referendum vote will be necessary, however, before the strike order can be issued, he said.

### Charges Against Packers

"We charge," the telegram to President Harding said, "that the packers, having forced livestock prices down to a lower than pre-war level and having fixed their storehouses to overflowing with meat bought at the lowest of prices on the hoof, now propose to cripple industry deliberately, for the purpose of unloading this meat at enhanced prices upon the public, thereby achieving the double purpose of enormous profits by adding to the cost of living to the general public, and of striking, at the same time, a body blow

at organized labor for the purpose of destroying it."

Packers Deny Charges

Denial that the packers had large stores of meat on hand was made in a statement last night by Richard Hebb of Chicago, speaking for the packers. He said that storage stocks on hand on Feb. 25 were but 33,000,000 pounds more than the same date last year and 61,000,000 pounds lower than in 1919.

A statement denying that the packers "would welcome a strike as a means of getting rid of accumulated products which now were in storage," was also issued by J. Ogden Armour.

Cut Prices On SHOE REPAIRING

Men's sewed tap and rubber heels, \$1.50; ladies' sewed tap and rubber heels, \$1.10. Work guaranteed.

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In each package of genuine "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" are directions and dosage worked out by physicians during 21 years, and proved safe by millions.

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Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets cost but a few cents—larger packages, Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monacocacidamide of Germany Limited.



## PARTHENAIS APPOINTED

Governor's Council Confirms Appointment of Deputy Income Tax Collector

(Special to The Sun)  
BOSTON, March 10.—The governor's council yesterday confirmed the appointment of Hervey D. Parthenais, 315



HERVEY D. PARTHENAIS

Merrimack street, Lowell, as deputy income tax collector in place of Henry Gilbride of Lowell, who has resigned to practice law. Parthenais was a first lieutenant during the war, and served in France as an instructor at the officers' school.

### AMUSEMENT NOTES

(By Theatrical Press Agents)  
MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

There's a program of more than ordinary merit being shown at the Merrimack Square theatre during the latter half of the week. Leading Frederick is adding to her thousands of admirers by her work in "Roads of Destiny," one of G. Henry's best works, adapted for the screen by Channing Pollock. Miss Frederick plays the role of Rose Merritt who finds that she cannot escape the fate that has been woven into her life no matter where she goes or what she does. The three entirely different roles, yet that of the same woman, give ample opportunity for diversity and picturesque scenes. Jack Pickford in "Just Out of College," presents the popular young star in a most entertaining production. Other features include views of President Harding's inauguration, a short comedy, the International News and a Burton Holmes travel picture.

### OPERA HOUSE

Stupor in story and characters—real human present-day people you all know and have read about, is what makes "Daddy Dumbbell," the comedy drama being given this week by the Lowell Players at the Opera House the acceptable offering it really is. You can't help loving old "Daddy," as portrayed by Milton Byron, while the others of the cast help materially in making it what it is—one of the most enjoyable stage offerings of the season. Don't miss it. You will be the better for it.

For next week the management will



### THEY'RE MARRIED

The above pictures are of Cornelius Vanderbilt Whitney, son of Mrs. Harry Payne Whitney of New York, and Miss Eva Burrows Fontaine, Oriental dancer, whose marriage was recently announced.

## TEN PER CENT OIL TAX

Huerta, Obregon's Aide, Says It's Needed to Re-establish Mexico

BY C. H. NEWELL  
MEXICO CITY, March 10.—"A tax on all petroleum produced in Mexico would be a straight 10 per cent. of its value," says Adolfo de la Huerta. He gave up the provisional presidency to General Obregon—an office that few Mexicans give up while alive. He is now secretary of the treasury as one of Obregon's cabinet ministers. "Petroleum producers in Mexico are asked less than they are in Oklahoma and Texas," was his next remark in the course of an interview during which he talked freely of Mexico's financial problem. He said he had figures to prove this. Americans here who have studied the situation say Huerta's statement about the oil taxes are true. They say of his own party will so report to President-elect Harding before he takes up settlement of the oil dispute with Mexico.

### Expenses Increase

"Mexico's annual revenue has been about 250,000,000 pesos," said Huerta. "It was badly administered under Carranza. Our problem is to increase that revenue by eliminating graft, fostering new industries, and increasing production. Another important task is to expend it wisely."

"Our annual expense in 1920 was about 211,000,000 pesos. It will increase this year to about 250,000,000 pesos. That isn't extravagant."

"Under Carranza government employees were paid at approximately the same salaries they are now. But they got only 75 per cent. of what they were supposed to get. Now they get all they are entitled to and so the government is not threatened by internal revolt."

"But we need more money to re-establish Mexico's credit, and the only way to do that is to pay back interest and refund our national debt."

"That's why I think a fair tax on Mexican petroleum would be a straight 10 per cent. of its value. Oil companies need not say that such a tax would bankrupt them. They all paid big dividends last year."

"Business in Mexico needs foster-

ing. "Full protection of all foreign interests and competition free from special privilege is the program we have evolved for putting Mexico back on her feet economically."

## YOU HAVE ONLY ONE MOTHER—

Today She May Be Weak and Nervous

Overwork, worry and the duties of Motherhood may have sapped the iron from her blood and robbed her of her bodily and mental vigor—HOW TO HELP HER.

IT WAS YOUR MOTHER WHO MADE THE FIRST SACRIFICE THAT YOU MIGHT LIVE.

WHEN ALL OTHER FRIENDS TURN AWAY FROM YOU, YOUR MOTHER YET REMAINS. If you are ill, it is her tender hand that strokes your feverish brow. If financial disaster overtakes you and you lose your hard earnings of years and all others forsake you, THERE WILL STILL BE YOUR MOTHER with words of comfort and cheer, ready to offer any sacrifice that may help you.

TODAY MAY BE YOUR OPPORTUNITY TO HELP YOUR MOTHER

She may be suffering from iron starvation of the blood—THOUSANDS OF WOMEN SUFFER FROM THE GREAT DEVIL—WEAKNESS AND NERVOUSNESS caused by iron starvation without ever suspecting the real cause of their trouble.

"They think that they are weak and nervous as a result of age, worry or overwork or they think that their disturbed digestion, headache, heart palpitation, shortness of breath, pains across the back, etc., are due to some serious disease, which is often not the case at all—their blood has simply thinned out and become pale, thin and watery and is starving for iron. This is proven by the fact that when many of these same women take a course of Nuxated Iron, they are quickly restored to health. You must have iron to enable your blood to charge the food you eat into living cells and tissue. Without iron this change cannot be made and as a consequence, nothing you eat does you the proper amount of good—you do not get the full strength out of it. Women especially need iron more than men as their inner life and the strain they are under, renders them more anemic."

It is astonishing how very few women after thirty years of age, have sufficient iron in their blood, and it is almost equally surprising how many gain relief in the same way. Lack of iron not only brings on a devastating weakness but it makes a woman look old very quickly as it takes away the youthful freshness from her lips and cheeks and the sparkle and life from her eyes and even her hair face a haggard and "drawn" look. IF YOU WISH TO RECOVER YOUR MOTHER A REAL SERVICE, take her to a medical laboratory and have a "blood count" made of her red blood corpuscles and see just how anemic she may be. If you do not want to do this, insist that she eat more spinach and other iron containing vegetables and take organic iron with them for a month and see what a difference it makes. Thousands of women have surprisingly increased their strength, energy and endurance in two weeks time by this simple experiment. Be it said, this text be sure that the iron you take is organic iron and not metallic or mineral iron which is so widely taken.

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**R. F. KEITH'S THEATRE**  
Miss Juliet, who is headlined at the R. F. Keith theatre this week gives by long odds the best bit of impersonation seen on a local stage in years. Her range of subjects is very wide, and her audience is at liberty to select those noted persons of the theatre it wishes her to imitate. Billy Glaser, the popular comedian and singer, is another prime favorite of this big bill. He has always been a favorite here, and yet has never gone as "big" as on the present occasion. Charles Chaplin in "The Kid" occupies a niche on this bill. That the picture is the best one Chaplin ever put out cannot be doubted. The drawing power of Chaplin and the kid, Jackie Coogan, holds those in the theatre for a full hour. Other acts on the bill are: Stanley & Lea, Fred & Daisy Rial and Will and May Larr. On Saturday, beginning at 12:30 a. m., a special performance of the Chaplin picture will be given for children only. In view of the widespread desire to see this picture the management has decided to give this extra performance.

**THE STRAND**  
"The Challenge of the Law," with William Russell in the principal role, is making an unqualified hit with the motion picture patrons of the city. The star is seen in the role of a captain of the Royal Northwest Mounted Police, who is assigned to the work of cleaning up a group of fur smugglers who are bringing their game into the United States illicitly. While engaged in the work the captain falls in love with the daughter of the leader of the smugglers, whom he later captures and confines to ten years in prison. The girl breaks her engagement to him and aids in the liberation of her father from jail. With him and two other smugglers she flees across the border to Mexico. The captain follows doggedly after and when the girl sees him approaching, pushes her father on, and taking a pistol awaits his coming with the intention of killing him. She can't master up enough courage to kill him in cold blood and is herself placed under arrest by him. Thrilling developments follow and after a series of interesting events things are cleared and the pair reunited.

"The Breath of the Gods" is a Universal Jewel special production with Tsuna Aoki, (Mrs. Sessue Hayakawa) in the stellar role. It's a gripping absorbing story involving a pretty Japanese, a French painter and an American diplomat in which the forces of the three countries are thrown into conflict. The outcome is satisfying, but not until some intensely interesting situations have been cleared up. The star is seen at her best. Don't miss the special feature, as well as the rest of the program.

Ten states have shown their indignation or hostility to prohibition by failing to enact laws enforcing the prohibition amendment.

**PLUMBING CONSTRUCTION**  
Local Board of Health Representatives Opposed to Bill Prohibiting Uniform Set of Rules and Regulations  
Several representatives of the local health department were recorded in opposition to house bill 232, providing for a uniform set of rules and regulations governing plumbing construction in all cities of the state, at a hearing given by the legislative committee on public health at the state house yesterday. John E. Barry of the board of health, Agent Francis J. O'Hara and Plumbing Inspector Charles N. Mulwood were present and were prepared to speak in opposition to the bill, but owing to the large number of opponents who were heard before them they simply recorded themselves as being against the proposed measure. The Master Plumbers' association was strongly in favor of the bill and John J. Mullany of this city was among those who urged the adoption of the measure. The Journeymen Plumbers' association, the West Estate association of Boston, the Engineers' club of Boston, representatives of the water departments of several cities and various private individuals were recorded in opposition.

**TRADES & LABOR COUNCIL**  
Vice President Timothy J. O'Rourke occupied the chair at the regular weekly meeting of the Trades & Labor Council, which was held last evening in Trades & Labor hall, Central street. There was a large attendance, routine business was transacted and resolutions condemning the reported attitude of the chamber of commerce on municipal affairs before the municipal council recently were adopted.

**ELECTRICAL WORKERS**  
The electrical workers of the Boston & Maine car shops in Billerica were entertained at a banquet last evening by one of their fellow workers, Frederick H. Wilson. The affair was held in Odd Fellows' building, Middlesex street, and proved very enjoyable. The arrangements for the banquet were under the direction of John Delaney and David Gilechrist.

Between 1880 and 1907 the annual per capita consumption of all liquors in this country rose from 10 to nearly 23 gallons.

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## PHYSICAL TRAINING IN SCHOOL

There is a bill before the legislature providing for a system of physical training in schools and on a scale that apparently would cut deeply into the time now set apart for study. At present the number of interruptions due to recent innovations grafted upon the school curriculum is giving the teachers serious trouble, not in overwork by any means, but by breaking up the lessons so that much time is lost and the progress of the pupils thereby retarded. At present we have physical training in our schools, but the bill before the legislature, if passed, will probably provide something more elaborate.

There seems to be much difference of opinion as to what it would require. Some remonstrants objected to the measure at a hearing on the ground that it is but another step toward direct state control which may ultimately "have state officials in the homes to teach us how to eat, how to sleep, how to work and how to play."

In reply to this assumption it is stated that the state department of education would devote the course of training to consist of "organized play, games, indoor and outdoor sports and athletics and any forms of physical exercise appropriate to the age and physical condition of the pupil."

Several clergymen appeared before the committee to be assured that this bill would not authorize instruction in birth control or sex hygiene, departures advocated by some alleged reformers. The city of Boston last year spent \$130,000 for physical training and \$100,000 for school nurses; and it appears that the aim of the bill before the legislature is to follow the line of work done in Boston.

It is true that school children need physical training that will counteract the effect of desk work and book work. They need play that will interest all instead of having a few indulge in active play while the others loiter around or gather in groups and talk instead of taking part in some form of active play.

It seems that with a little training the younger teachers would be able to direct organized play during recess in the school yards, so that during the greater part of the time all the pupils would be actively engaged. This question of physical training is one on which educators hold widely divergent views as to methods, although all agree that such training is necessary in some form. The chief objection seems to be that it is too expensive and that would call for more time than can be spared from the regular studies unless the pupils are permitted to fall behind.

It is a well known fact that as a result of attending the movies or some other cause, it is more difficult to get the children of the present day to settle down to earnest study than those of some years ago. Then, too, the number of calls from special teachers is much greater and the number of studies increased. The curriculum is loaded down with facts so that it is very difficult to secure satisfactory work or thoroughness in any of them. Yet the reformers and the legislators are trying to add to the list.

## AS TO DEMOCRACY

Democracy has proved itself a success on a national scale. The federal constitution has been amended only in rare instances. We have today, with few important alterations, the document that was framed by the fathers, and that bears as its first name the signature of Massachusetts' honored son, John Hancock.

The state constitutions, framed on principles of American democracy, have also proved their efficacy so that so far as the federal and state governments are concerned, democracy has stood the test.

When we come to cities, however, we find a very different condition of affairs. So long as we had the old New England town meeting, which was pure democracy, we got along quite well. When populations outgrew town houses, and cities were organized, we began to have our troubles and have them plentifully.

At first we had systems that were very similar to our present commission form of government. They failed to work well. Then came the system of mayor and bicameral legislative bodies. We thought these did not operate as they should and overboard they went. Then, here in Lowell, came the system at present in vogue and that pleases only the few who hold office under it, and profit by it.

These facts are set forth to prove that democracy has failed to provide the people in cities with the sort of government that they wish to have. Some blame the Governor, but we blame the system.

The whole subject deserves the most serious thought. We can stand a fair amount of federal misgovernment. We are not greatly affected by the acts of congress in many cases. The acts and resolves of the Great and General Court do not strike us very closely at home. But with an inefficient and wasteful city government we are affected in our most intimate interests. Wasteful government, inefficient government, unresponsive government in city hall, gets itself reflected in every article that we use in our daily lives almost without exception. If the tax rate is high, rents must be high. There can be no other rule of economics or common sense. If money is spent by city officials without showing proper results, a higher price must be paid on the meat and potatoes that the people consume.

Democracy has won its greatest triumphs in this country but the application to our cities has not been a bounding success for two reasons, first, because of defective charters and second, political corruption.

So far as the question of charter is concerned, Lowell has had her ups and downs; but we are likely to regain our municipal equilibrium very soon. After that there will be a cleanup of corrupt politics that will give us better and more efficient government than we have had. It is not fair to lay too much

blame on the men who served under the present charter. In our judgment the blame rests mainly with the system for which the elected officials were not responsible. That system must now be abolished in order that we may start all over again in an effort to make Lowell one of the best governed cities in the country.

## MOVING PICTURE CRITICISM

The National Board of Review, the body supposed to pass upon practically all the motion pictures exhibited in the theatres of the country, sends out a letter to the press in which it sets forth its stand against certain classes of pictures to which objection has been raised by the public and has appointed a special committee to take up the matter with the National Association of the Motion Picture Industry with a view to preventing the further production of objectionable features. The improvements suggested would bar the portrayal of crime and the illustration of ingenuity in practical methods of breaking the law; the insidious elaboration of sex relationships and suggestive treatment of such matters as bring into disrepute the sex features in cinematograph.

These improvements, if carried out, would remove most of the objections on which are based the demand for a state censorship; but unfortunately these fair promises come only as a means of defeating the censorship movement and then when the bill is defeated, if that should happen, the producers, whether with the connivance of the Board of Review or over its protest, continue to put out the very class of pictures so vigorously condemned. The opposition to the censorship bill is linking it with the Blue Sunday movement with which it bears no resemblance.

If the board of Review could be relied upon to carry out its announced purposes, there would be no demand for state censorship of movies.

## ANTI-BOLSHEVIKS REVOLT

Reports from Russia indicate that a rebellion against the soviet system has broken out and that it is assuming serious proportions. It is doubtful, however, that the leaders can unite on any constructive program by which they can hope to overthrow the Bolsheviks and bring relief to the country.

The transportation system, such as it is, is in the hands of the soviet, and if the food supply is shut off from the cities, they cannot continue their revolt. Petrograd is reported taken but after a period of slaughter, the Bolshevik leaders will probably be able to reduce it to submission. The people have been so oppressed that they are evidently driven to desperation but without means of uniting in a general movement for lack of leaders and resources, it is doubtful if they can overthrow the present regime.

## THE POOL ROOMS

Officers who visited pool rooms reported to the license commission that they found minors in several of them; but they had not taken the trouble to find whether the minors should be at school or whether they had working cards from the school department. This indicates a degree of simplicity that is not to be called by a worse name, that is strangely amusing. This farcical supervision over the pool rooms was promptly exposed by Commissioner McGrath as futile. If that is the kind of attention that has been given to the pool rooms by the police, it is no wonder that they have become the favored retreats of criminals and the breeding places of crime.

## COOLIDGE LISTENING IN

Vice-President Coolidge has been invited to the cabinet meetings to listen in as it were. Calvin can do that to perfection and we surmise he will never do much else at the cabinet meetings. He is there as the president's guest but with no legal standing.

Still with Erin, on the coming festival of her patron saint, write as in so many centuries past:

"Tis the most distressful country that ever yet was seen,  
For they're hanging men and women there for warring of the green."

There is a place at the tip-top of the list for the first son or daughter of Lowell to place his or her name as the first contributor to the fund to provide the city with a statue of General Benjamin F. Butler.

Not even nitro-glycerine would drive it into the heads of some politicians that "you can fool all of the people some of the time; some of them all the time; but not by any means all of them all the time."

The municipal council should keep the budget question open for further discussion inasmuch as there is yet a wide difference of opinion as to where and to what extent additional cuts can be made.

We can spare from our educational curriculum the schools for crime, that appear to be in full swing in some local poolrooms.

Coming events cast their shadows before, and one of them is that municipal employees are to be taking bottles against the new charter.

The people will condemn the officials, high and low, who are in any way responsible for driving the tax rate above the lowest possible figure.

The rains descended and the floods came and even the movie theatres were empty.

Will the book bear water be displayed in adequate places where beer is dispensed as medicine?

Some people are patriots, some are not; patriots, some are self-servers, and altogether too many do not care.

New players with the same meaning as the old charter, and decent municipal government.

## SEEN AND HEARD

Spring is good, better, and when the fruit trees blossom.

Pleading lawyers to offices has one redeeming feature; leaves legal openings for other lawyers who were office-holders.

Not since James G. Blaine's time has the state department witnessed a more imposing board than the one Premier Hughes brings in.

The boss—But we are slack of work ourselves. If I found anything for you to do, it would be taking work from my own men. The Applicant—"The little I would do wouldn't harm anybody, sir."

## Something Soft

The Movie Star—I've been doing falls and breakneck stunts for a year and now I think I'd like to try something soft for a while. The Director—All right. How'd you like to play opposite a comic custard pie thrower?—Houston Post.

## Here's a Tip

You're out at night. The bus breaks down. You can't find the jack handle. Here comes another motorist. You decide to stop him and ask for help. But he stops harder on the accelerator and dashes past. So does the next man. And the next. And so do all sensible motorists whom you'd try to stop at night. They take no chances. The remedy is: Be sure to have all tools and appliances with you when you're out on a trip.

## Free Speech

When they say the world is growing Worse and Worse,  
And it's only fit for growing  
That, in fact, we're simply staying  
In a rapidly decaying  
Universe;  
Do not let those mourners fret you  
When they dourly seek to get you  
In their clutch;  
For that style of cheerful chatter  
Needn't cause your tears to splutter,  
Since it really doesn't matter.

When they say our girls are awful  
As can be  
That our boys have grown unlawful  
—List to me,  
That's a tale that Age would throw a  
Fit about when Father said  
Put to rest;  
Age has always cried acutely,  
"Youth will—oh, most absolutely—  
Get in Dutch."  
Let the poor old fogies chatter  
For their prophecies they scatter  
For it really doesn't matter.  
Very much.

Let the croakers and the groaners  
Have their say,  
Let the misery-mongers  
Mourning away,  
Let the fiery world-improvers  
Talk of slavery and terrors  
As they may;  
You don't need to pay attention  
As they view the world with  
Life and such;  
If their vocal cords are snarled  
With this line of pleasant chatter—  
Well, it really doesn't matter.  
Very much.

## MAN ABOUT TOWN

What is the greatest tie that binds us mortals here on earth? Is it love, race, family or just plain human sympathy? Family ties are usually binding, of course, but they bind the individual to a comparatively meagre number of other individuals. The same is true of love. Race very often brings people closely together, yet some of the greatest strife experienced in the world's history has been between men of the same race. The tie of one's native land reaches its greatest demonstration only in time of peril or when one meets a fellow countryman in a foreign land. But the tie of human sympathy is universal. And I doubt whether there is any condition destined to excite sympathy more quickly among human beings than illness. I suppose the reason is because we are all subject to the frailties of the human body and that is why we are ready to appreciate ailments and physical suffering on the part of others. This was brought home to me very forcibly during the past few days upon my return from a brief illness. People with whom I had previously nothing more than a casual acquaintance have stopped to inquire for my condition in a most interested manner. In fact, people whom I didn't even know formerly have asked me how I was feeling. There's something about illness that interests people. I have come to the conclusion that the real "tie that binds" in this world is the physical welfare of the individuals who go to make up its population. And not until you are "under the weather" yourself do you realize how many people have suffered the very same ailments as you have and have gone through courses of treatment identical with yours. It sort of takes away the feeling of martyr-like individuality which you so fondly cherished during your illness.

That the present business depression is a very (terrible) sort of thing is strongly indicated by activities at Mill No. 7 of the Hamilton Manufacturing company. Although employees of the concern are now working at part time, the capacities of the building are at the same time being enlarged. New machines have been installed, and everything is ready for an anticipated spurt in trade. The No. 7 mill, by the way, is about as interesting a place to inspect as one could wish to find. Modern in every aspect, it boasts the latest word in sanitation, illumination, and first aid arrangements. A completely appointed miniature hospital is one of the sights. Here there are rooms for men and women, while a trained nurse is at all times in attendance. Employees are encouraged to have first aid treatment even for the slightest cuts or other injuries. Another remarkable feature of the plant is the fact that the air breathed there by the workers is actually purer than that which they breathe outdoors. Every cubic foot of atmosphere which is allowed to enter the building is thoroughly washed in water. With its impurities thus removed it floods the working spaces. An ingenious mechanical arrangement allows of an equal temperature at all times, winter and summer. Water of the same temperature is also furnished, whatever the weather. The water can be kept within two degrees of 50 above Fahrenheit during the hottest days of summer. Brilliant electric lighting provides the nearest approach to daylight which can be secured by modern scientific methods. At the same time gas is largely eliminated by the use of electric bulbs and carefully devised lighting arrangements. The walls are always painted a clean white, which gives the maximum aid to the eyes of employees.

## ELKS ELECT OFFICERS

Samuel Scott Elected Exalted Ruler—Installation of Officers in April

Samuel Scott was elected exalted ruler of Lowell lodge, No. 57, B.P.O. Elks, for the ensuing year at a meeting of the lodge Tuesday evening in the Elks rooms, Middle street.

Mr. Scott is a well known business man and has been a prominent and zealous worker for the welfare of the local lodge for many years. He plans many novel features during his leadership of the lodge and with the co-operation of the membership looks forward to a most successful year for the local "Hills."



SAMUEL SCOTT

Other officers elected to serve with Mr. Scott and who will be inducted into office in April were the following:

Esteemed Leading Knight, John T. Durkin; Esteemed Loyal Knight, Walter E. Turnbull; Esteemed Lecturing Knight, James E. Donnelly; Secretary, John Lee, P.E.R.; Treasurer, John J. Healey; Tyler, John J. Gilley; trustee for three years, Edward J. Saunders; representative to the grand lodge, Richard T. Robinson, P.E.R.; alternate representative to the grand lodge, William H. Mahan, P.E.R.

## TEXTILE WHEELS STILL

Large Portion of People of North Chelmsford Idle for Many Months

It is commonly believed that North Chelmsford has been one of the most seriously affected by industrial curtailment of any of the textile cities and towns of New England. The two leading textile plants have been closed for months. Out of a total population of about 2200 about 1600 are idle, and in many cases have been without employment for a long time. Leading merchants assert that credit relations are in a strained condition. Some of the storekeepers have been trusting their old customers for months and as a consequence, they are facing demands for payment of accounts from wholesalers. On the other hand, workers who have sought for months for jobs and have not been able to find them are said to be near the exhaustion of their resources.

The principal textile industry in the village is the Silsila mills. It is owned by the United States Worsted company with other mills in Lawrence, Concord, Newton and Saugus. This plant is given over to spinning woolen and worsted yarns. It does no weaving, its yarns are shipped to the weaving plants of the other mills of the company.

The weaving departments of the United States Worsted company are understood to have been closed in whole or part for a long time. In the local plant large quantities of finished yarn are said to be in storage, and there will probably be little outlet for it until the production of cloth is started again on a considerable scale.

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- 5c Chewing Gum, all kinds, 3 for 10¢
- 50c Pepsodent Tooth Paste, 3 for \$1.00
- 35c Kolynos Tooth Paste, 5 for \$1.00
- 6 Bottles Tanlac..... \$6.00
- 6 Bottles Russell's Emulsion \$6.00
- 6 Bottles Cherry Mul..... \$6.00
- 25c Resinol Soap..... 3 for 60¢
- 25c Cuticura Soap..... 3 for 60¢
- \$1.00 Pkg. Gillette Blades, 12s, 75¢
- 50c Household Sponges..... 25¢
- Bicycle Playing Cards..... 38¢

- 25c Can Vivaudou's Rose or Violet Talc 2 for 25¢
- 25c Mavis Talcum Powder 2 for 30¢
- 25c P. D. & Co. Medicated Throat Lozenges..... 3 for 50¢
- 1 Pt. Pure Witch Hazel, bottle included..... 25¢
- 15c El Mosico Cigar, Invincible, Foil 10 for \$1.00
- 10c El Grado Cigar, Perfecto, 15 for \$1.00
- 10c Lord Romeo Cigar, Perfecto, 15 for \$1.00
- 75c Box 10's Delmira Cigars, Foil, very mild..... 50¢
- 25 High Grade Porto Rico Cigars, Brevas..... \$1.00
- Sweet Natural Corn Cob Pipes, 3 in box..... 25¢
- 5c Samo Cigar, mild and sweet, 25 for \$1.00
- 1 Lb. Box 60c Assorted Chocolates, fresh every week..... 49¢
- Absorbent Hospital Cotton, 2 Lbs. for 60¢
- 50c La Bonita Coconut Oil Shampoo..... 35¢
- \$5.00 Gillette Razors..... \$3.00
- 6 Cakes Laco Castile Soap, \$1.00
- 5 Cakes Woodbury's Facial Soap \$1
- 1 Lb. Pure Powdered Borax.... 13¢
- 1 Lb. Pure Epsom Salts..... 8¢
- 1 Pt. Lime Water, bot. included, 10¢
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control of Kidder Peabody company, bankers of Boston. It is understood that this concern has already advanced considerable money to the concern.

It is understood that an intermittent fight has been on for the controlling interest in the concern since eight years ago. This fight crept into the meeting of the concern last week, with the result that the old board of directors remained in control.

The mill has been under the direct control for a number of years of Mark Ingham, agent. At present the agent superintendent, some overseers and second hands are kept employed around the mill engaged on such tasks as painting, cleaning and trying to keep the plant from deteriorating as textile plants are reported to be likely to when idle. Otherwise than this work the big mill rooms are idle, and there are few signs of activity around the plant.

The Lowell Textile company, a second important plant of the village, has been closed since last fall. Financial reasons have been generally ascribed as the reason for its closing. This condition of affairs has been accentuated by lack of orders.

The company normally furnishes employment for over 200 people. No in-

formation is available as to when the mill is likely to start up again.

When the mills were in full operation a considerable portion of the employees lived in Lowell. Others were housed in residences belonging to the Silsila company. In most cases these workers have been carried along by the mills in their homes with as little embarrassment as possible.

## PLEASANT EVENING FOR A. & P. EMPLOYEES

A "get-together" social, attended by employees of the Atlantic & Pacific company stores in Lowell, Lawrence, Haverhill, Manchester, Nashua, Amherst, Newburyport, Salem and Beverly, was held last evening in the Odd Fellows building, Middlesex street. More than three hundred were in attendance from the various cities and towns, and a diverting program of entertainment was provided, as well as most interesting speeches by officials of the company. After a buffet luncheon, General Superintendent W. J. Davidson of Boston delivered an address, followed by remarks from L. W. Thompson, superintendent of the New England district, W. T. Dickinson, superintendent of the Lowell district, and Assistant Superintendents Collins, Tuttle and Bennett. The following pleasing musical program was then given: Tolly dance, Elizabeth Bell; songs, Commissioner James E. Donnelly; piano selections, A. Varrett and Mr. Gervais; cornet solo, Mr. Nolan; parasol dance and cake walk, Dewara sisters; piano selections, Miss Whittemore; songs, George McGinty, with Al Forrest as accompanist; piano selections, Florence Rousseau. Dancing came after the entertainment, music being furnished by the Reading orchestra. The committee of arrangements was: J. Burke, chairman, William Tobin, A. Lambert, and Mr. Whittier.

The affair constituted one of a series of similar events being given in the various cities and towns of this section. Lowell has 17 Atlantic & Pacific stores, and the local employees were in charge of last night's affair. The next gathering is scheduled for March 21, at Salem.

## EX-SEC. BAKER NAMED

Has Been Commissioned a Colonel in the Officers' Reserve Corps, Judge Advocate General's Department

WASHINGTON, March 10.—Newton D. Baker, former secretary of war, has been commissioned a colonel in the Officers' Reserve Corps, Judge Advocate General's Department, Secretary Weeks announced yesterday.

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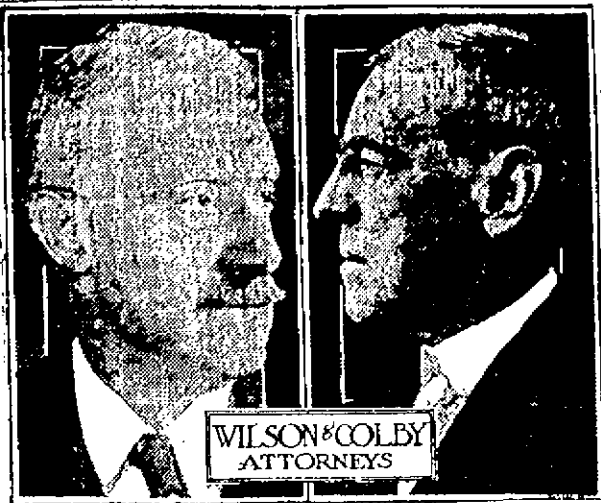
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## PARTNERS

Woodrow Wilson (right) has announced that he will take up the practice of law with former Secretary of State Bainbridge Colby (left.) They will have offices in New York and Washington.

## Test Runs for Superdreadnought

ROCKLAND, Me., March 10.—The superdreadnought Tennessee is to be given test runs out of this port early next month, it was learned today. She will probably be put over the mile course off Owl's Head for speed spins and be sent out to sea on endurance runs. The Tennessee has recently had her electrical motive machinery overhauled and revised.

## 4 Filipinos Killed and 11 Wounded

MANILA, March 9.—(By Associated Press)—Four Filipinos were killed and 11 wounded by a band of mountaineers armed with bolos, who raided a cockpit in Iloilo province, three hundred miles southeast of here, according to advices reaching here today.

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Cream of Wheat	26c
Puffed Rice	12c
Jersey Corn Flakes	8c
Sunkist Sliced Pineapple (2½)	38c
Prunes	16c
Sunkist Seeded Raisins	28c
Currants	18c
Pink Salmon (can)	12c
Libby's Red Salmon	34c
Omar Salmon (flat can)	30c
Friend's Beans	23c
Rinso	6½c
Lux	11c
P. & G. Naphtha Soap	7c
Bee Soap	7c
Welcome Soap	7c
Worcester Salt, (10 lb. bag)	28c
Mueller's Macaroni	11c
Ralston (large)	24c
Shredded Wheat	13c
Kellogg's Corn Flakes	11c
Baker's Cocoanut, (¼ lb.)	11c
Howard's Salad Dressing	30c
Cream Corn Starch	11c
Mazola Oil (qts.)	55c
Crisco, lb.	23c
Yellow Corn Meal (pkg.)	12c
California Pea Beans	6c
Scrub Not Compound	19c
Snider's Ketchup	26c
Blue Label Ketchup	26c
Quaker Oats (large) pkg.	25c
Gold Medal Oats, pkg.	7c
Cut Beets, No. 3 can	14c
Rumford Baking Powder (large)	28c
Campbell's Beans	10c
Baker & Foss Extract	28c
Challenge Milk	17c
Borden's Eagle Milk	23c
Lipton's Tea (½ lb.)	35c
Alligator Molasses (gal.)	67c
Lily of Valley Golden Bantam Corn	22c
Sunkist Sliced Peaches (2½ can)	39c
Meadow Brook Butter	64c
Extra Fancy Carton Eggs	47c
Hops, lb.	65c
Maine Style Corn (fancy) can	12c
Friend's Brown Bread	17c
Fletcher's Coffee, in tins, lb.	40c
Garden of Allah Coffee	39c
Chase & Sanborn Coffee	40c

**Chalfoux's**  
CORNER

PRESCOTT STREET

CHAMBER SEEKS TO  
SPEED UP EXPRESS

Lowell merchants are asked by the local chamber of commerce to co-operate with the express companies in their efforts to reduce "on hand" matter. The express companies are sending out appeals to all commercial organizations stating that on account of the immense traffic by express, the "on hand" matter has increased in volume, requiring special attention to store and keep track of the shipments until delivery can be made. The local express companies are joining in the campaign and making special efforts to make deliveries and keep down "on hand" matter.

Certain proportion of shipments by express cannot be delivered by express drivers.

It is an advantage to the transient shipper to have the express carriers hold his goods for him until he arrives, and to do so without added expense, but it was not intended that regular express patrons would ask to expect the goods to be held for them while some argument between shipper and consignee was being settled. Though the express companies do not generally charge for storing shipments, official information is to the effect that some such step may be taken unless the situation improves.

WORCESTER MAN GUEST  
OF LOCAL JEWELERS

Harry H. Wright, jeweler of Worcester, was the guest of the members of the Lowell Retail Jewelers' association at their meeting in the chamber of commerce room last night at 7 o'clock. He addressed the members present on the system of watch repairing. An invitation was extended to him to attend the Lowell Jewelers' cutting during the coming summer. Announcements were made by A. H. Abbott, president, and Frank Richard, secretary of the organization, relative to the annual convention of the Massachusetts and Rhode Island Retail Jewelers to be held in the Copley Plaza hotel, Boston, March 23 and 24. Arrangements are being made for the entertainment of ladies at this convention and the first evening's program will include automobile rides, luncheon, tea, theatre parties and banquet. Lowell jewelers desiring to attend are to have their applications in before March 15. Attempts are being made by the officers of the local organization to have the Lowell body, which is the largest of its kind in this state, well represented. Morris Schankman, manufacturing jeweler, spoke along the lines of trading with the public and the retail jewelers.

SILVER DOLLARS ARE  
VERY UNPOPULAR

Did you know that money is sometimes unpopular? No, this isn't a joke. We don't mean Austrian crowns, but good American specie-coin silver dollars. The announcement that the government mints have begun to produce silver dollars has brought an increase in the price of these pieces in Lowell. And it was learned that no definite date has ever been set for sending new coins to the national banks. Furthermore, it was discovered that silver dollars are extremely unpopular in ordinary circulation. At one time local banks it was stated that these are often shipped to Boston, to get them out of circulation locally, as they are difficult to handle and not desired with any great avidity in change. Only the national banks will get these pieces, it was stated at a downtown savings bank. So all the Lowell banking institutions can not have to worry about disposing of the unwieldy round boys.

**DIVIDEND DECLARED**  
NEW YORK, March 10.—Directors of the Phelps Dodge copper corporation today declared a quarterly dividend of \$1 a share, compared with the previous rate of \$2.50 a share.

## Allies to Coerce Germany

**Continued**  
ple food supply. He has stated, however, that the people must obey regulations.

While the presence of allied troops has been accepted in good grace by most of the people, business men in the occupied district are worried over the consequences of the new customs system. Reports are current that certain factories have cancelled orders amounting to 60,000,000 marks.

People of the middle and working classes fear there will be an increase in the cost of living. They are laying in stocks of provisions and are besieging stores. In some cases, fear is expressed that stocks of food will be rapidly exhausted.

## Simons' Position Secured

LOSDON, March 10.—Reports that Dr. Walter Simons, head of the German delegation at the reparations conference, is being censured in government circles in Berlin, are not confirmed in direct advices from that city. It is declared that his position is considered secure and that criticism of his procedure in London was based on a misapprehension of the situation here.

## ADDRESSING GIRLS' CLUB

A meeting of the Women's Advisory committee of the Girls' City club of Lowell, took place this afternoon. The gathering was addressed by Miss Guttererson, secretary of the Massachusetts league of girls' clubs, which has its headquarters at 5 Newbury street, Boston. Secretary Guttererson discussed methods of keeping the various girls' clubs of the state in contact for their mutual benefit.

## SPECIAL SALE

Friday and  
Saturday

Of 500 Pairs Of  
Two Eyelet  
TIES

Theo Ties with the new baby Louis heel, Plain Pumps, Lace Oxfords, full Louis heel, all for, a pair \$2.98

15% OFF ON ALL REGULAR GOODS

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2 LBS. SUGAR With 1 LB.  
GARDEN ALLAH  
COFFEE 42c

PRUNES, Fresh and  
Meaty, lb. 10c

MARSHMALLOW  
MIST 28c

SWEET CORN, Sugar,  
can 10c

RICH OLD CHEESE,  
lb. 23c

HORLICK'S MALTED  
MILK 38c

HERBOX BOUILLON  
CUBES, 3 for 5c

CAL. BUTTERED  
WALNUTS, lb. 20c

HILLSDALE ASPARAGUS  
TIPS, can 15c

PHEASANT DEVILED  
MEAT, can 5c

SUNKIST ORANGES,  
doz. 29c

SALMON, tall can 12½c

## We Promise You GREAT SAVINGS

At this week-end sale. Fresh arrival of  
BEEF, LAMB, VEAL and PORK

FRESH  
MILK FED FOWL, lb. 35c

GENUINE  
LEGS LAMB, Spring, lb. 28c

LEGS VEAL, lb. 18c

Fores of Veal, 10¢ Lb.

Smoked Shoulders, Sugar Cured, 19c

SALT PORK, Heavy, lb. 18c

Gold Medal Flour ½ bbl \$5.99

## 11c Specials

3 ROLLS TOILET  
PAPER 11c

JERSEY CORN  
FLAKES 11c

CAMPBELL'S PORK  
11c

SUNKIST PORK &  
BEANS 11c

JELLO, all  
flavors 11c

GREEN  
PEAS 11c

WARNER'S  
SPAGHETTI 11c

TOMATOES, No. 3,  
large can 11c

SALSOA,  
pkg. 11c

WHITE ROSE SOAP,  
3 cakes for 11c

GLOVES,  
pkg. 11c

ALLSPICE,  
pkg. 11c

JELLY MONGE,  
2 for 11c

LARGE LOAF  
BREAD 11c

## Cat Cemetery Needed

**Continued**

Wishing to slow it all due respect in death she had conceived the idea of having it buried in her own lot in the Edison cemetery, but was not sure whether there would be objections on the part of the health authorities. The health office registrar saw no reason why the cat should not have a resting place in a duly appointed burial ground, but having no jurisdiction in the matter she referred the applicant to Agent Francis J. O'Hare. Mr. O'Hare took a decidedly different view of the matter. His decision was an emphatic "No." He was sure that the regulations forbade any such procedure. The cemeteries were reserved as places for the burial of the dead. "But my cat is dead," persisted the visitor from South Lowell in mournful tones. She saw no reason for discrimination in death.

"But I refer to dead human beings," countered Agent O'Hare.

However, the matter seemed more or less in the air. The South Lowell lady abhorred the idea of interring the cat in anything but ground specifically set apart for burial purposes. Somebody hit on the idea of getting an opinion from the cemetery commissioners on the matter. So William H. Higby, chairman of the board, was called. He admitted that the case was unusual, but that he personally would be opposed to the burial of an animal in a cemetery set aside for human beings. He referred the inquirer to the clerk of the cemetery, Miss Mountford.

She, in turn, referred to the provisions of the deeds to the lots in the Edison cemetery. In the very first clause she found that only human beings could be buried there. In order to buy a lot, the purchaser must accept that provision.

That proved the solution to the whole matter. The cat could not be buried in the family plot of its owner. It must be gathered to its fathers from some other resting place. The written words were inexorable and there could be no exemption from the rules. Now comes the question of providing a suitable burial place for beloved pussies whose owners wish to honor their memory. There is no such place in Lowell. Outside of Boston there is an elaborate cat and dog cemetery, like those found in a cemetery reserved for human beings. Whether there are enough animal lovers in Lowell to finance such a project here is open to debate, but there is little doubt but what the gentle visitor from South Lowell would contribute promptly and gladly to any such undertaking.

The English derby has been won by the favorite on more than fifty occasions.

PANAMA AGREES  
TO ARBITRATION

GENEVA, March 10.—Panama, in its note to the League of Nations expressing willingness to submit the conflict with Costa Rica to the court of arbitration at The Hague or the international court of justice of the League of Nations.

It is considered possible here that the conflict may be settled by the council of the league.

England cast the first one-piece iron cannon in 1543.

## 700 Boatmen Strike at New York

NEW YORK, March 10.—Approximately seven hundred men employed in the loading and unloading of coal and grain barges in this port went on strike today in protest against a wage cut, the Tidewater Boatmen's union announced. The walkout was directed against about a dozen concerns, which reduced wages from \$110 a month to \$90. Union officials said that the large concerns and a number of the smaller companies had not attempted a reduction.

# J. A. DESROSIERS CO.

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## The Big Up Town Clothing Establishment

Advance showing of New Spring Hats and Caps, also Young Men's and Boys' New Spring Suits, at much lower prices than last fall—and better merchandise.

## YOUNG MEN'S SUITS

In blue and brown pencil stripes, double breasted model, with an extra pair of trousers.

**\$22.50**

## YOUNG MEN'S SUITS

In both double and single breasted model, new spring coloring, will do your heart good to look at them at such low figure.

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## BOYS' SUITS

At very low figures, new model, new colorings, good quality, at much lower prices than last season.

**\$4.95, \$6.95, \$7.95, \$10**  
Up to \$17.50

**SPECIAL—Boys' Strictly All Wool Blue Serge Suits, good weight and good make, for the small sum of \$10.00**

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\$6.00 and \$6.50 Shirts, in grey and khaki. Sale price \$2.98

\$7.00 and \$7.50 Shirts, in grey and khaki. Sale price \$3.75

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From One of the Best Makers Known

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New Spring Hats are certainly pretty,

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**\$5.00, \$6.00, \$7.00**

Cheaper Hats also \$3, \$3.50, \$4

**EXTRA SPECIAL—25 Boys' Suits, in mixtures and blue serge, that sold \$10, \$12.95 and \$15, mostly 17 and 18 sizes. Sale price \$4.95**











# OIL TANKS EXPLODE

## Negotiations Opened in Effort to Induce Pres. Harding to Accept Modified League of Nations

## Allied Forces Virtually Complete the Occupation of Rhine Ports of the Ruhr Region

### MOVE MADE BY FRENCH EMBASSY

Paris Reports Negotiations Under Way With State Department at Washington

Effort to Induce New President to Favor Acceptance of Modified Draft

PARIS, March 10.—(By Associated Press)—It was stated at the foreign office today that negotiations were under way between the French embassy in Washington and the state department in an effort to induce President Harding to favor acceptance of a modified League of Nations.

The French position is conciliatory and is believed to relate to expressions by officials connected with the present Washington administration, made during the peace conference.

No Comment at Washington

WASHINGTON, March 10.—(By Associated Press)—Administration officials withheld comment today on the statement made at the French foreign office that negotiations were under way between the French embassy here and the state department with regard to the League of Nations.

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### VETERANS HIT HARD BY BUSINESS DEPRESSION

Lowell veterans of the world war have been hit hard by the profound business depression now existing, it was learned at American Legion headquarters this morning. Although unemployment conditions have shown a slight improvement, it is stated that many local young men who served the nation in arms and navy are now out of a job, and in straightened circumstances. The legion officials, however, are working heroically to meet this situation, and in many instances have provided work for members. Calls for men have come in from local concerns and have been speedily and satisfactorily filled from the ranks of the local post. Adjutant R. J. Rutledge is in charge of this activity, and has urged all employers of men to communicate with legion headquarters, telephone 6266, if in need of help. At present there is one vacancy to be filled, and a man acquainted with hoisting engines and familiar with gasoline engines can have the position by notifying the adjutant.

### TO CUT WAGES OF 43,000

New York Central R. R. To Reduce Wages Beginning April 16

Subsidiary Lines Employing 174,000 Men to Follow

NEW YORK, March 10.—The New York Central railroad today announced that beginning April 16 it would revise downward the wages of 43,000 men.

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### PARKING AUTOMOBILES

Chamber of Commerce Discusses Auto Ordinances and Parking

The committee on motor vehicle problems of the chamber of commerce, held a meeting this noon at the Colonial restaurant. Among the topics discussed was the necessity of having the municipal ordinance relative to parking restrictions in the downtown district amended and arranged so that they may be easily understood. It was suggested that every thing possible be done to have the regulations regarding parking laws enforced by the police or withdrawn by the city council. The task before the committee is to be completed before the next meeting, is to have a complete compilation of all city parking ordinances so that future work of the committee may be done on that basis. It is expected that the committee will make suggestions as to the placing and design of no-parking signs in the business section.

Relative to the securing of a parking place for automobiles near the center of the city, several propositions were made, the newest of which was the suggestion that the land bordering on Warren street, through which tracks of the Boston & Maine railroad now run, might be utilized. Other than the suggestion being made, no action was taken on this matter.

The members of the motor vehicle committee are as follows: Henry A. Smith, chairman; Daniel Shanahan, P. E. Kimball, Alvin Weaver and James F. Fleming.

IRISH CONCERT

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SUNDAY Mat., 2.15 Night, 8.15

DANCE WITH THE HUSH CLUB

TONIGHT MERRIMACK GARDENS

PRIZE WALTZ—PIVOTING CONTEST

Minor-Doyle Banjo Orchestra, featuring for the first time in Lowell Merrimack Duetts and The Frisco Song Whistle. Big crowd last Thursday. (Thank you.)

ADMISSION 35¢, TAX PAID

LECTURE AND CONCERT

Auspices of Holy Name Social Club

SACRED HEART HALL—MOORE STREET

Lecture by Rev. Fr. Murphy, Chaplain State's Prison, Charlestown

TONIGHT AT 8 O'CLOCK SHARP. ADMISSION FREE.

Auction Sale

At Greek Furniture Company

503 MARKET ST., LOWELL, MASS., AT 10 O'CLOCK A. M. FRIDAY

Assignment sale of \$6000 worth of New Household Furniture and Kitchenware, all to be sold to the highest bidder for cash.

### MORE KILLINGS IN IRELAND

Bodies of Two Former Soldiers Found in Field—One Labelled "Spy"

Two Other Bodies Found—"Tried, Convicted and Executed by Irish Army"

Notices Posted in Dublin Announce "Curfew for Crown Forces"

BELFAST, Ireland, March 10.—Four men who had incurred the displeasure of the Sinn Fein were killed near here on Tuesday night. The bodies of James Muller and Patrick O'Mara, former soldiers and both residents of the town of Dromore, were found in a field. The bodies were labelled "Spy." It is stated they were accused of giving information to the police.

The bodies of two other men were found in a country lane at Augnacloy, and on their breasts were cards inscribed with the words: "Tried, convicted and executed by the Irish Republic army." One was identified as Francis McPhillips, who was taken from his bed at an early hour yesterday by six armed men. The identity of the other is known.

A youth was tied to a gate in the town of Dromore.

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### WHOLE OF RUSSIA IN A FERMENT

Says Message Received by the London Times From Abo, Finland

Three Brigades of Bolshevik Soldiers Desert and Join Revolutionary Forces

LONDON, March 10.—Reports from Russia regarding the revolution against the soviet regime continue to be obscure and conflicting. Z. A. Reuter's dispatch from Helsinki, Finland, yesterday, states the Russian agency has issued a statement that the fate of Petrograd is still in the balance, and denying that revolutionary troops are occupying three-quarters of the city. The dispatch says the insurgents have taken positions in a part of the city which is under fire from Kronstadt and that it is also being shelled by the navy.

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CHARTER BILL PASSES SECOND READING

The new charter bill for Lowell passed its second reading today in the senate, without debate. It was ordered to a third reading.

MONTREAL, March 10.—The civil administrative commission decided to put the city on daylight-saving time from May 1 to Oct. 1.

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### FLAMES SWEEP BROOKLYN PLANT

NEW YORK, March 10.—Fire broke out today in the Standard Oil Co.'s plant in the Greenpoint section of Brooklyn, which more than a year ago was the scene of one of the biggest oil fires in the history of the city.

The plant, known as the Sone and Fleming Works, covers a large area. Efforts to draw off the oil from other tanks were made when the wind seemed to be blowing the flames toward them.

Shortly after noon five tanks exploded. In each case there was a gull boom, but no concussion. The fire started in a crude oil still in which the liquid is heated and vaporized. The flames soon leaped to surrounding tanks.

Each of the five flaming tanks held 25,000 gallons of oil. Some of the 350 employees were helping firemen drench more than a score of nearby tanks with water, while others worked quickly to throw up sand dams and prevent the burning oil from spreading. Steam also was used to choke off the fire. Pumps were started to work to draw oil from the unexploded reservoirs to other tank farms of the company in Long Island City and Bayonne.

### BOGUS GUN AND REAL DAGGER

Would-Be-Bad Men From Brooklyn Picked Up By Police

Escaped From State Infirmary—Will Be Sent Back to Brooklyn

Armed with a bogus revolver and a very real dagger, two would-be bad men, Arthur Larsen, 16, and Arthur Hansen, 17, both of Brooklyn, N. Y., were picked up by the local police yesterday after they had fallen into the clutches of the Boston authorities, had been sent to the state infirmary at Tewksbury, and had escaped from that institution. They are now being held pending the arrival of representatives of the Brooklyn police. When arrested in Boston they gave their names as Larsen and Hansen.

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### CAT CEMETERY NEEDED

Woman Wanted to Bury Cat in Family Lot in Edson Cemetery

Lowell's latest municipal need is a cat cemetery.

The city's delinquency in this respect was brought to the attention of municipal authorities very forcibly this morning when a well dressed woman who said she hailed from South Lowell, but who failed to give her name, appeared before the registrar of the board of health and asked if it were necessary to secure a permit to bury a cat in the Edson cemetery.

She said that she had taken care of the cat for a number of years and had cultivated a real affection for it. In addition, she vouched for the animal's intelligence, claiming that it knew more than some human beings.

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### A Man's Food Should Also Be His Medicine

and the definition of "Medicine" is "A Remedy for Disease." And the best Breakfast Food we know, is CONTENTMENT, for Contentment never lives in the same house with Disease. It's one of the Food mixtures that money will not buy from another, although as the World goes today, a certain amount of money seems essential to Contentment. If a Man or a Woman at 50 years of age, owes no one and has enough money to "see themselves through" they should be Contented. Their cup of Joy should be running over for their bottle of Medicine is full. When old Mother Hubbard went to the cupboard, she found no Medicine there and the Dog eventually died and Mrs. Hubbard never appeared Contented afterward. More Contentment, more Medicine can be squeezed from any SAVINGS Account than from any Fruit that grows.

INTEREST

will begin on Savings amounts deposited on or before April 1, no limit to amount received, on that date.

MIDDLESEX SAFE DEPOSIT AND TRUST CO.

Merrimack Corner Palmer St. 1

### Trial of Clara Smith Hamon, Accused of Murder, Opens Today



ABOVE—CLARA S. HAMON, BELLO—JAKE L. HAMON, SLAIN OKLAHOMA MILLIONAIRE, AND HIS WIDOW, MRS. JAKE L. HAMON

ARDMORE, Okla., March 10.—All the principal figures in the trial of Clara Smith Hamon, charged with the murder of Jake L. Hamon, oil and railroad magnate and republican national committeeman from Oklahoma, were in readiness for the opening of the trial today.

The attorney general said that an effort would be made to have the court rule that no evidence might be introduced regarding the relations between Hamon and the defendant further back than 20 minutes before the shooting occurred. Counsel for the defense indicated that they might assent to this request.

Mrs. Hamon, widow of the oil magnate, announced her intention of appearing as a witness for the state and attending all sessions of the trial. Before the trial the widow said she regretted she had not taken action years ago, while Clara Smith Hamon was still Clara Smith to end the latter's association with Hamon. Clara Smith obtained the name Hamon by marriage to Frank Hamon, nephew of the man she is accused of killing.

In a statement made in the presence of her father and others, Mrs. Hamon said that she had debated with herself many times whether to throw acid in Clara Smith's face to disfigure her so she would not be beautiful and attract Hamon's attention. With tears in her eyes, Mrs. Hamon said she never could bring herself to that point. "Oh, if I only had," she repeated.

Mexico has 550 silver mines and almost 5000 gold mines.

### ALLIES FORCED TO COERCE GERMANY

Gen. Gaucher, in Direct Command of French Units Issues New Proclamation

Freedom of Work Guaranteed But People Must Obey Regulations

ALLIED MILITARY HEADQUARTERS, NEUSS, March 10.—(By the Associated Press)—Allied forces have virtually completed the occupation of the Rhine ports of the Ruhr region, all that remains to be done being the seizure of a few villages and cross roads. As yet commanding officers have not arranged for a division of the occupied zone between the British, Belgian and French units gathered along the eastern side of the Rhine.

General Gaucher, in direct command of French units here, has issued a new proclamation, saying in substance that the German delegates at the London conference showed unwillingness to observe the Versailles treaty and that the allies were forced to coerce the German government to fulfill its obligations. He laid emphasis on the fact that the occupation is in no sense a hostile act toward the people and that not only is the freedom of work guaranteed but the allied authorities will do their best to improve the condition of the people and assure an amicable settlement.

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### PACKING HOUSE PLANT

Rumored Petition May Be Withdrawn — Petitioner Says "Not on Your Life"

Following the announcement from the internal revenue bureau at Washington that a ruling had been made by the former attorney general placing the packing plant and slaughter house on the same status as whiskey, and thus allowing more latitude in its manufacture, a rumor has become more or less widespread in Lowell to the effect that the petition submitted to the municipal council some time ago asking for a license to conduct a packing plant and slaughter house on the site of the former Harvard brewery in Taylor street is to be withdrawn and the matter dropped. It has been hinted that the plant would revert to its former use as a manufacturing place for beer.

When queried on the matter this afternoon, Bartholomew Scannell, signer of the petition for the packing plant license, emphatically denied that such a step is to be taken.

"Not on your life," he said. "We are going through with this to the end. The petition is before the municipal council to be voted upon and either granted or rejected. There will be no withdrawal until some action is taken. Let the city government either allow it or defeat it."

SAW TWO ROBINS

Add two more signs to indications of an early spring. Miss Margaret Cotter of 60 West Forest street reports that she saw two robins near her home this afternoon.

Moses Greeley Parker Fund LECTURES

THE OBLIGATIONS OF FREEDOM

Frank B. Vrooman, New York

HIGH SCHOOL HALL

Friday, March 11, 8 P. M.

Admission to these lectures will be by free tickets furnished on request in advance. Application may be made in person, by letter, or telephone to the Committee on the Moses Greeley Parker Fund Lectures, 110½ Commercial Street, Lowell, Mass.

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Same Orchestra as Saturday Nights

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First Appearance in Two Years of The NATIONAL JAZZ BAND OF BOSTON at ASSOCIATE HALL

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DANNY DUGGAN AND HIS NEW PARTNER

New England Premier Ball Room Dancers

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## LEGALIZED GUN TOTERS

Many Ask But Few Are  
Granted Permits to Carry  
a Revolver

Not a single unrestricted permit to carry a revolver has been issued in this city during the past month, it was learned today at the office of the clerk of court. Out of 60 people who asked permission to have a weapon on their persons, only 12 were granted the necessary authorization, and in these instances conditions of time and circumstances were included. No one was allowed to carry a revolver at all times. The successful petitioners were pay-masters, express messengers and individuals engaged in similar occupations. It was specified in granting their request that they should only have the weapon on their person when actually pursuing their employment under conditions of possible danger. All applications for permits must be presented before Judge Enright, police court justice, who sits each Monday noon, together with Mayor Perry D. Thompson, for this purpose. At the most recent sitting, held March 7, no permits at all were issued. The authorities, it is stated, are determined not to make the present unsettled conditions an excuse for unjustifiable arming of citizens on a wholesale scale. Prior to the system now in effect, it was a function of the chief of police to issue permits to carry revolvers, but now only the mayor and Judge Enright, in joint session, are empowered to confer this privilege.

TRIED TO SELL JAPANESE  
MAPS TO AMERICAN

TOKIO, March 10 (by the Associated Press).—Naval Lieut. Tsuru Haseguchi was arrested today and handed over to a court martial in connection with an attempt to sell Japanese naval secrets to Captain Edward Howe Watson, at the United States embassy here. Captain Watson, it is said by the Nichi Nichi Shimbun, received two letters signed "Goto Yopada," asking for an appointment as the writer desired to sell for 1,000,000 yen Japan's mobilization plans against "a certain country." Secret maps of Formosa and documents showing the depths of various parts of Tokyo bay, were to be included. Captain Watson turned the letters over to the naval authorities.

GIRLS' CITY CLUB  
BOWLING MATCH

A bowling match between teams from the Girls' City Club of Lowell will be held Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the American Legion headquarters on Burton street. The contest will be a bowling league composed of six teams numbered one to six, and of these teams 2, 3 and 6 have been eliminated. On Saturday the contest will be between Team 1, captained by Miss Laura Edmonds, and Team 4, captained by Miss Ellen Martin. The winners of the match will compete on the following Saturday with Team 5. The last contest will determine the championship of the league. Unusual interest exists in the fortunes of these girls' bowling organizations, and large crowds have attended all their games. Saturday's match will be in the nature of a semi-final, and that between Team 5, captained by Miss Alice O'Brien, and the survivor of this week's match, will end the race for the championship.

TO CONSIDER NEW  
MARKET OWNERS

It is expected that a change of management, accompanied with the passing of ownership, of Saunders' market, on Gorham street, may take place tomorrow. For some time now control of the big market, one of the oldest and largest in this city, has been under consideration. The present management is entirely in the hands of Lowell people. It is reported that the new interests seeking to obtain a foothold here represent partly out-of-town people.

Beyond the fact that the details of a change of ownership and management will come up for discussion and possible settlement tomorrow, little in the way of positive information regarding the deal was available today at the market.

The daughter of a Parisian artist was married recently in a bridal gown of white satin, uniquely painted by artist friends of her father.

The best preventive of seasickness, says a French physician, is to inhale pure oxygen gas.

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## NEW SPRING CLOTHES

Spring is near and already women hear the call of the season for new clothes to enliven their good spirits. New clothes symbolize Spring—and women will find most delightful assortments ready for them in our varied display.

## The Decrease in Prices

is so great that any woman can plan with an easy conscience for complete clothes satisfaction this Spring.



## SPRING SUITS

Among the newest arrivals, one sees the new box coats with long hips or finger-length coats with almost invisible belts; beautifully embroidered in soft shades to harmonize or in self color. Some are richly trimmed with heavy flat silk braid. The skirts show the new circular effects and navy is the predominating color for Spring. Stocks are at their first fullness now—immediate choosing will prove most satisfying.

\$14.75 to \$79.50

## NEW BLOUSES

Of pussy willow, georgette, crepe de chine, satin and French voile, in the new shades of rust, caravan, honey dew, porcelain and platinum as well as in white and flesh.

\$2.98 to \$12.50

Children's New Spring  
COATS AND WRAPS

Serge, velour, bolivia and polo cloth make most of the Spring coats for children, while the full backs or belted models are about equally divided. Many new shades of rose, tan, pecan and jade green.

\$5.98 to \$15.98



## SPRING GOWNS

Winsome and charming are the new styles in gowns—they are the very personification of joyous Springtime.

There are Canton Crepe, Pussywillow Silk, Kitten's Ear Satin, Taffetas with flippant ruffles as well as the soft and filmy georgettes, in a rich assortment of grey, brown, tan and navy. Elaborately trimmed or embroidered in gold, rust, caravan or porcelain. Unusual variety of skirt effects.

\$15.00 to \$59.50

## NEW SKIRTS

Higher in favor than it has ever been is the plaid skirt for Spring. We are showing delightful plaids in novelty and Roman stripes, box or side pleated effects. Soft Spring colors and combinations.

\$5.00 to \$23.50



## SPRING COATS AND WRAPS

There is a renewal of favor for short coats and wraps, and as most young women are particularly fond of light, smart wraps, the coats and wraps newly-come to us will make a decidedly favorable impression. Beautiful shades of navy, tan, grey, brown and Harding blue have already shown a preference. Veldyne, Bolivia, Tricotine, Polo and Velour will prove to be the most popular materials.

\$15.00 to \$55.00

## NEW SWEATERS

Most of the effectiveness of the sport costume depends upon the sweater choice. The delightful variety of style and color we are showing in tie-back, tuxedo or coat models will surely interest you.

\$2.98 to \$10.98

## CHILDREN'S NEW SPRING HATS

Very different and very charming are these newly-come hats. There are shapes and styles becoming to every child. The predominating colors are black, navy and tan; everyone adroitly trimmed with flowers or ribbons.

\$1.98 to \$3.98

## FEMININE FOOTWEAR

OF STYLE AND QUALITY

Whether it's a dainty pump you prefer, a smart brown oxford on the latest last or one of the many charming creations in strap effects, you will find we have the shoe that will exactly suit your requirements.

We sell high grade shoes, recognized everywhere as the last word in style. You can see for yourself how well they are made and what good materials were used to produce them. As for service, you have our definite assurance that you can buy nothing better. Every pair marked at the new low market price.

\$5.00 to \$10.00

STREET FLOOR

## CORSETS

Before selecting your Spring Suit or Gown, it would be to your advantage to get one of our new Spring model corsets. The corset is very important to a woman as it determines her figure and decides her comfort.

Our expert corsetiers can adjust you perfectly as our line includes the popular styles as well as the specialties, also several specially adapted models for stout women.

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Of extra good quality nainsook and daintily trimmed with fish-eye lace and embroidery, cut full with regulation or strap shoulder ..... \$1.00

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The very newest in neckwear is Cretonne Vestees with roll or Peter Pan collars and trimmed with Oriental buttons. Many other style Vestees in corded silk, pique and lace.

\$1.00 to \$3.98

Roll and Flat Collar and Cuff Sets with pleated edges promise to be very fashionable, while the plain pique and lace sets will still be in great demand. Many patterns with embroidered eyelets, 50¢ to \$1.50

Organdie Collar and Cuff Sets with colored points and fancy stitching are very new and distinctive ..... 50¢

## CUT CRYSTAL BEADS 19¢

Graduated necklaces in all the shades of beads

HARDING BLUE NECKLACES 49¢

Of cut crystal beads with gold clasp.

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MISS MARIAN BECKETT

Miss Marian Beckett, artist of New York, has been sued for \$200,000 by Mrs. Clara Steichen, who claims that she stole the love of her husband, Colonel Edward Steichen. Steichen is a well-known artist of New York and Paris. Miss Beckett denies the charge.



BRAZIL'S PRETTIEST

Senorita Camilla Ferreira Da Cunha has been proclaimed, by popular vote, the prettiest woman in Brazil.

## HARDING WITHHOLDS MESSAGE FROM KING

WASHINGTON, March 10.—Messages of felicitation exchanged by President Harding and a number of foreign rulers, expressing hopes for peace and friendship throughout the world, were made public yesterday at the White House.

A note of economic as well as political co-operation was sounded in the exchange between Mr. Harding and President Millerand of France, while most of the messages that passed with South and Central American presidents voiced a renewed pledge of Pan-American solidarity.

The message reported in press despatches as having been sent by King George of Great Britain and the president's reply to it, were omitted from the list given to the public.

After recalling the famous trials through which France and the United States had passed, President Millerand's message said:

"The solidarity of France and the United States, which so powerfully contributed to their common victory, will also prove their safeguard during peace. The political or economic weakening of either republic would mean impairment of the other. Their interest as well as their sentiment, binds them to stand by each other, and thus we are sure will be perpetuated the noble traditions which for nearly a century and a half have associated our two great democracies for the common good of mankind."

To the French president Mr. Harding replied:

"I thank you sincerely for the cordiality of your appreciated telegram of congratulations and good wishes, and assure you of my abiding friendship for the French republic and of my very genuine wish for the continued promotion of its welfare and the further strengthening, if possible, of the ties by which the two countries are bound in historic and fraternal friendship."

In addition to President Millerand, those whose congratulatory expressions were included in the White House announcement were King Albert of Belgium, King Victor Emmanuel of Italy; King Gustaf of Sweden; King Boris of Bulgaria; Sultan Ahmed (Ghadjar) of Persia; President Pessoa of Brazil; President Melendez of Salvador; President Gordia of Paraguay; President Acosta of Costa Rica; President Urquiza of Venezuela; President Suarez of Colombia; President Oyarza of Panama; President Bruin of Uruguay; President Menocal of Cuba and President Saavedra of Bolivia.

## HAYS USES TAXI

Finds Burleson's Horses and Carriage Too Slow

WASHINGTON, March 10.—Postmaster General Hays, taxiing in a cab when he's in a hurry. When he arrived on the job as chief mail man, he found only a carriage and pair provided as his official conveyance, the turnout being well known through eight years' use by Postmaster General Burleson.

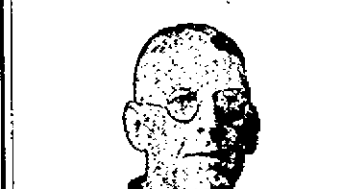
An almost forgotten row in congress left no other choice for the department head, and while other cabinet officers may limousine, landau, cabriolet, sedan or otherwise motor about, Mr. Hays taxis when he wants speed.

Teak wood is used mostly in India because it is the only wood that will resist the attacks of the white ants of India.

## HAVERHILL POLICEMAN LOST WEIGHT RAPIDLY

Started Taking Re-Nu-Yu—Found He Gained Steadily in Weight and Appetite

Eugene L. Radcliffe, 192 Main street, who is one of the popular and efficient officers of the Haverhill Police Department, gives to Re-Nu-Yu full credit for his present good health, as is shown by the following letter, which he gives in his own words: "A short time ago I was losing weight very fast and nothing seemed to be able to stop this until I tried Re-Nu-Yu. After taking the first bottle I gained two pounds and have gained steadily ever since. It increased my appetite and made me feel better." Signed: Eugene L. Radcliffe.



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## SPEAKER LORING YOUNG PRAISES WILSON

BOSTON, March 10.—In an informal address before the members of the Boston Shoe Trades club at a luncheon held yesterday afternoon at 21 High street, Speaker Loring Young of the house of representatives gave an outline of the financial problems that made necessary the \$40,000,000 budget for the ensuing year.

Mr. Young said that 40 per cent of this amount is consumed by state institutions, but that it is an impossibility to cut down this item, as it would mean that mentally deficient and diseased persons would be left at large. He also spoke on the impressions he gained as a witness of President Harding's inauguration. In part he said:

"The simplicity and solemnity of the occasion left a great impression on me. It seemed to bring out more strongly the problems that confront the new administration. The support of every one is needed in this time of stress, with the world war not yet settled, a new farce springing up in Central America, the Japanese question once more looming to the forefront, and our own domestic troubles crowding on the stage."

The broken, bent frame of Woodrow Wilson, racked by physical illness, whose mental and moral courage was always of the highest sort, should instill the admiration and respect of every true American. His name will live forever in our history. He was a great man."

Herbert T. Drake, president of the New England Shoe and Leather association, and Senator E. T. Wright also spoke. Charles T. Cahill, president of the club, presided over the meeting, at which nearly 200 members were present.

## PERSHING FAVORS PHYSICAL TESTS

WASHINGTON, March 10.—An annual survey through local and state health boards to determine the physical condition of the young men of the country was advocated by Gen. Pershing yesterday in addressing the student body of a local high school. Citing statistics showing that 50 per cent of the men examined for military service under the draft were physically defective, Gen. Pershing said an annual check on the physical condition of the country's young men would go far toward improving the health average.

## ARGUMENTS IN DR. DONLAN CASE

BOSTON, March 10.—The full bench of the state supreme court yesterday heard arguments on a petition by Dr. John E. Donlan for a writ of prohibition to prevent the Boston city council from removing him from the position of superintendent of the almshouse and hospital on Long Island.

Dr. Donlan claims that the city council had no jurisdiction in the complaint made against him by the trustees of the hospital because the board of trustees at the time did not have two women members, as required by statute.

## EDWARDS TO BE MAJOR GENERAL

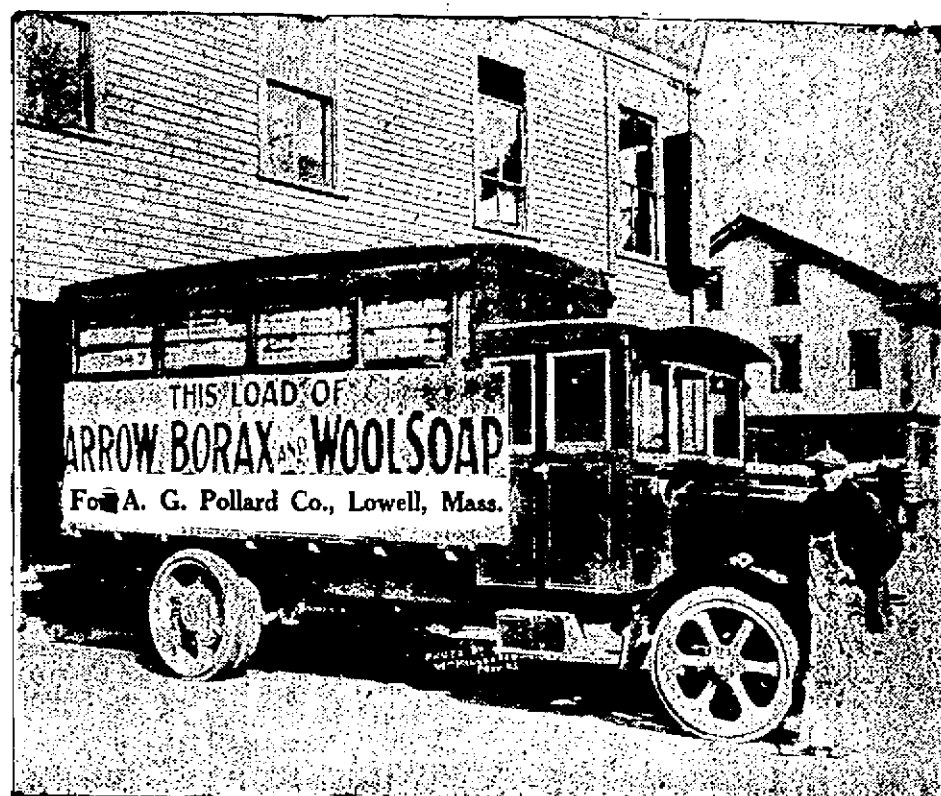
WASHINGTON, March 10.—It is reported in war department circles, but not verified by the secretary of war, that the nomination of Brig. Gen. Clarence B. Edwards to be a major general will be sent by the president to the senate some time next week.

The president acts on the recommendation of the secretary of war, and Sec. Weeks declined yesterday to comment on the report.

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- Dupont School Bags ..... \$1.35
- 15 Hour Vigil Lamp Candles ..... 5c
- Trunks ..... \$6.50 to \$125

## SARRE BROS.

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## ATTEMPT TO SEIZE LIQUORS FRUSTRATED

BOSTON, March 10.—Plans of South Boston gangsters to remove liquor valued at more than \$600,000 from a warehouse where it is stored after seizure by Prohibition Enforcement Agent William J. McCarthy, were frustrated last night, the police announced.

Acting on information given to Richard J. Peterson, manager of the warehouse, Capt. Skillings of the Dudley street station detailed a squad of men to guard the building. Meanwhile a telegram was sent to Prohibition Director Kramer at Washington requesting him to provide for the protection of the liquor.

Mr. Berenson told the police that Tuesday night he received "reliable information" that attempts would be made to seize the liquor before Saturday night. He said the pass word used by federal agents who bring

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liquor to the warehouse was known to the men contemplating the seizure and they were also familiar with the routing of the night watchman's duties.

BLOSSOM SEELEY WEDS AGAIN  
ST. PAUL, Minn., March 10.—Blossom Seeley, vaudeville actress, yesterday announced her marriage to Benjamin E. Getzenfeld of Milwaukee, her dancing partner, known on the stage as Lenny Fields. A civil ceremony was performed in Chicago three weeks ago and the religious ceremony was held here yesterday. Miss Seeley formerly was the wife of Rube Marquard, major league pitcher.

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## BURNING AND DESERTED

Stolen Auto Found in Billerica Stripped of Chains, Tires and Robe

After inspecting his Grant roadster, which was stolen last evening and later found burning and deserted near Sprague's bridge, in North Billerica, Mr. Herbert Harris of 32 Georgia avenue, reported to the police this morning that a set of chains, 32 by 4, two inner tubes, a black and green plush robe, and one spare tire, 32 by 4, had been stolen from the car by the thieves before it was left blazing on the Boston road. Harris left his car standing in front of the Highland club, and found shortly after 8 o'clock yesterday evening that it had been taken. A hurry call was despatched to the police, who communicated the information to the authorities of the surrounding towns. Two hours later the North Billerica fire department reported the machine as found badly damaged by fire, and standing deserted near the Sprague bridge. No one was discovered in the vicinity of the machine. Whether the thieves intended to destroy the roadster to cover up their depredations in the matter of chains, tube, tire and robe, has not been determined. The affair is the second achievement of auto thieves in Lowell since the beginning of the week. On Sunday evening a Ford touring car, the property of Hector Patenaude of North Billerica, was stolen while parked on Kirk street. Later two armed holdup men relieved Joseph D. Donnelly, a Lynn automobile dealer, of \$75 while he was repairing his machine by the roadside in an outlying section of North Andover. They approached and made their getaway in a car corresponding with that taken from Patenaude. Later Patenaude's car was recovered in South Boston.

## WINTER RHEUMATISM

Winter is a hard season for sufferers from rheumatism, not only on account of the cold and dampness but on account of the thinning of the blood that occurs with most people in the winter season. In fact, some forms of rheumatism occur only in winter, the patient being free from rheumatic pains during the other seasons of the year. The taking of a tonic to enrich the blood will hasten recovery in many cases.

Most of the treatments of rheumatism are directed at the symptoms and are considered successful if they relieve the pain and stiffness. But the blood has not been purified and the rheumatism is sure to return, especially after a season of exposure to cold and dampness. Mr. William F. Atwood of No. 37 Jenny street, New Bedford, Mass., was a sufferer from general debility and rheumatism until he tried Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. He says: "I was run down and debilitated and had a general sharp pain in my knee. The first box of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills helped me and I took five boxes altogether. They did all that was claimed for them and I have recommended them to a number of people. I shall use the pills every spring and whenever I feel that I need a tonic." Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People are sold by your own druggist or will be sent direct by mail, postpaid, on receipt of price, 50 cents per box. Write to the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y., for free booklet, "Building Up the Blood," containing a special chapter on rheumatism.—Adv.

## Your Skirt Musn't Pass 10-Inch Deadline!



The "ten-inch deadline" for skirts is decreed by the Fashion Art League of America.

It seems at first blush that this would make the skirts of short women too short and the skirts of long women too long. But it doesn't.

The league says that all women, short and tall, are about the same height from heel to knee and thus the ten-inch deadline is fair to all.

## SUGGESTS MOTOR SAFETY CAMPAIGN

Despite the fact that Lowell has made an excellent showing in the matter of reducing motor vehicle accidents as low as possible, Frank A. Goodwin, state registrar of motor vehicles, evidently believes that there is still opportunity for improvement here for he has written to Mayor Perry D. Thompson suggesting that the latter initiate a "motor safety campaign" in this city during the first week of April. Mr. Goodwin writes that there has been an alarming increase in motor accidents in Massachusetts during the past year and cites copious figures to prove his contention. He says that conditions have reached a point where drastic measures are necessary and inasmuch as the automobile season opens around the first of April, he believes the first week of that month a psychological time for conducting a campaign to impress upon the public, both pedestrians and drivers, the necessity for care and due caution on the public highways. Mayor Thompson has taken the matter under consideration and will probably take the necessary steps to carry out Mr. Goodwin's suggestion.

Besides styles are designed to make the short skirt look long.

The young woman to the right wears a suit of knitted silk fabric in striped effect and black velvet in combination. Maybe it's the striped effect or the velvet, but her skirt hem looks closer to the ground than ten inches.

The girl on the left, with the stripes, wears a navy blue tulle and the stripes are gray satin. The slip gives the

skirt appearance of length.

That's eyelet embroidery on gray canton crepe the girl in the center is wearing. This patriotic frock is worn over a slip of navy blue satin.

These are the latest things in spring styles. And, by-the-by, the all white bridal gown is passe. They're showing 'em now in green chiffon and white and other color combinations.

## Demobilization of Costa Rican Army

SAN JOSE, Costa Rica, March 10.—Demobilization of the Costa Rican army which crossed the Panama frontier and drove forces of that country back for upwards of 25 miles, has been ordered by the government. The soldiers who captured Almirante and later retired in conformity with the request of the United States, arrived at Puerto Limon on board a steamer today. The Costa Rican units which were attacking the Panamanians near Colo, on the Pacific end of the frontier, are on their way back to Punta Arenas. Advances received here state they had succeeded in cutting off the Panamanian forces there, but retired as soon as orders were received. There is much favorable comment on the action of the new American administration in quickly ending the conflict with Panama.

## Austria Complies With Allied Demand

VIENNA, March 9.—A demand for immediate delivery of all the military material not yet surrendered under the treaty of St. Germain, was made by the allied representatives here today and it is understood the cabinet agreed to comply with the demand unreservedly. It is believed the action of the allied representatives was inspired by the German situation, coupled with the long delay in delivery and the more or less passive resistance to this feature of the treaty.

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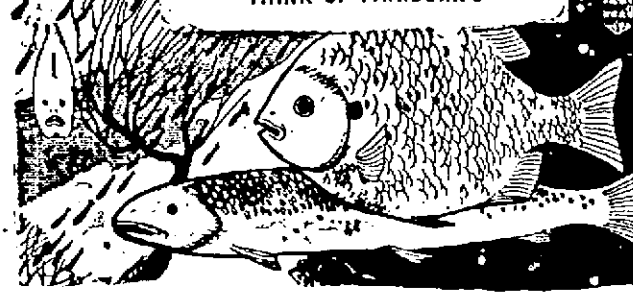
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Sliced Whitefish, lb. .... 15c  
Sliced Haddock, lb. .... 15c  
Large Fancy Smelts, lb. .... 25c  
Finnish Haddie, lb. .... 15c  
Cod Cheeks, lb. .... 19c  
Mussels, qt. .... 10c  
Shelled Clams, qt. .... 12c  
Scallops, lb. .... 69c  
Clams, qt. .... 50c  
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### Move by French Embassy

Continued  
to the acceptance by the United States of a modified league of nations. The impression was given, however, that the initiative in any such development rested entirely with the French government and that in any event the matter had not yet reached the stage of negotiations.

Sen. Hughes refused to discuss the question. It became known, however, that on last Tuesday he had a half-hour talk with Ambassador Jusserand. Mr. Jusserand is the dean of that corps and at the time it was understood that the visit had to do largely with the reception of the envoys. Whether the subject of the League of Nations was broached, has not been made known.

President Harding has indicated all along that his first step, in foreign affairs, would come after the formulation on a definite reconstructive program and that nothing formal would be done until the attitude of foreign governments had been felt out through unofficial channels. He already has received considerable information through his unofficial sources regarding the feeling of European statesmen and it is expected that he will make a still more exhaustive investigation before he launches his foreign program. Whatever steps France and other nations take to inform him voluntarily are expected to fit in with his general plan of procedure.

### Viviani Coming to United States

The forthcoming visit of former Premier Viviani on a special mission and the return of Ambassador Davis from London, are regarded as opening two important avenues of information, aside from those which the president is preparing on his own initiative. It would not surprise those who have been in close touch with the situation. If, in addition, the president sent several representatives abroad within the next few weeks to make inquiries. In the natural course of events, the report of such representatives would be expected to lead later to more formal negotiations.

In such conferences as Mr. Harding has held with the secretary of state and congressional leaders only the more pressing foreign problems are being considered. Such questions as the Panama-Costa Rica hostility and the Colombian treaty have pretty well occupied the attention of the president and his advisers on foreign affairs.

### Crissinger Named Comptroller

WASHINGTON, March 10.—D. R. Crissinger of Marion, Ohio, was nominated today by President Harding to be comptroller of the currency. Mr. Crissinger will succeed John Skelton Williams, who resigned two days before the Harding administration began. He is a lawyer and banker and life-long friend of the president.

### Railway Strike Continues in Mexico

MEXICO CITY, March 9.—The railway strike, which for two weeks has seriously disorganized traffic in Mexico, is still in effect. Government officials expressed belief today that an adjustment would be reached this week.



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# FEELS LIKE A 16 YEAR OLD BOY, SAYS STONE

Since Taking Tanlac It Is Hard To Realize He Was Ever Sick, Declares Race Street Resident

"Well, sir, Tanlac has made such a clean sweep of all my troubles I feel like a 16-year-old boy again," was the enthusiastic statement made recently by Edward F. Stone, 60 Race street, Lowell.

"Indigestion had such a stubborn hold on me I didn't know what it was to sit down and eat a meal in peace. Gas would choke me all up and make me feel miserable and I had cramps in my stomach that were just about as severe as a man can stand."

"Not to look at me now you couldn't tell there was ever anything the matter with me. Tanlac couldn't have it my case better. Why, in a month's time it fixed me up in fine shape. My appetite is a wonder and I have been built up all around and have even picked up a few pounds in weight. I am feeling fine and don't mind a hard day's work, and this good old Tanlac is responsible for it all."

Tanlac is sold in Lowell by Green's Drug store, under the personal direction of a special Tanlac representative, by Wright Drug Co., Billerica, Mass., Snow's Pharmacy, Concord, Mass., and by the leading druggist in every town.—Adv.

## FLORENCE CRITTENTON RESCUE LEAGUE

The annual business meeting of the Florence Crittenton Rescue League was held at the Y.W.C.A. Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock. The following officers and directors were elected for the coming year: President, Mrs. Alice Rogers Plummer, 1st Vice President, Mrs. George L. Van Dusen; second vice president, Mrs. Brooks Stevens; secretary, Mrs. Burnham B. Benson; treasurer, Miss Alice Russell. Directors, Mrs. Alice Rogers Plummer, Miss Helen Buttrick, Mrs. G. H. Denison, Mrs. J. E. Gibson, Mrs. C. H. Nelson, Mrs. J. L. Robertson, Mrs. M. N. Steeper, Miss Alice Russell, Miss Belle Shields, Mrs. G. H. Van Dusen, Mrs. Brooks Stevens, Miss Emily M. Skilton, Mrs. B. R. Benson, Mrs. A. D. Miliken, Miss Alice Parker, Mrs. A. C. Perkins.

Other matters of business were discussed and many suggestions of interest were given.

The report of Miss Leah G. Lowell, who succeeded Miss Bessie Adams, now Mrs. Arnold Pelham, as the welfare worker and special policeman of the Florence Crittenton Rescue League, was read, as follows:

From June 14th, 1920 to March 1st, 1921:

Office calls—517.  
Calls on girls and families, 419.  
Girls placed, 42.  
Assisted in finding missing girls—5.  
Physicians and hospitals visited—61.  
Unmarried mothers aided—3.  
Pastors consulted—7.  
Court cases—24.  
Arrests and assisted in making arrests—5.  
Investigations—25.  
Visits to playgrounds and municipal bath house—12.  
Visits to theatres, moving picture houses, and dance halls—44.  
Visits to Middlesex railroad station—27.  
Visits to stores, for Christmas shopping—5.  
Conferences with workers, meetings and classes attended and talks given—74.  
Visits have been made to the Monson State Hospital for Epileptics, Palmer, Mass., State Industrial School for Girls, Lancaster, Mass., State Farm, Bridgewater, Mass., House of Correction, East Cambridge, State Hospital School for Crippled Children, Canton, Mass., all in the interest of girls and one boy.

We have had nine girls at the Florence Crittenton Shelter the past year, all but two were court cases, the other two for safe keeping, until homes could be provided.

We have been very fortunate in having the privilege of placing seven patients who were unable to pay for treatment, in the free bed of the St. Anne's Episcopal church at the Lowell General Hospital. We were successful in having three examinations and consultations given by our local physicians, medicine given when necessary, one operation performed and also court fees, eye tests, one girl fitted to glasses at cost, paid by the Florence Crittenton League. Three girls were placed in the Florence Crittenton Home of Compassion in Boston. One little boy was sent to the Hospital School for Crippled Children. Several cases were referred to the gentle urinary clinic.

Among the girls who come to us are those who have not been arrested but who need advice and care. They are placed on the voluntary probation list, which was organized by the former worker, Mrs. Pelham. As a part of the probation, we find it helpful to the girl to co-operate with the church of her affiliation. As a result four girls who were not attending are now regular attendants, and through the interest of the girls, two mothers and five boys are attending, and several families are being helped along by interested workers of their faith.

Several girls and one boy, under 16, who were not attending school, were reported to the truant officer, and placed in day school or continuation school.

Advertisements of questionable nature have been investigated, when have proved to be of such a nature as to attract attention. Several interesting cases were mentioned in detail, which proves that the work among our girls is really worth while.

We would like to take this opportunity to thank the pastor and people of St. Anne's church for the use of their free bed at the Lowell General Hospital, also the physicians who have so generously given their services, to aid the suffering, and to any others who have helped us in carrying on the work of the Florence Crittenton League.

Respectfully submitted,  
EDNA G. LOWELL.

## LEGAL RESTRICTIONS ON SEALS REMOVED

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., March 10.—All legal restrictions for the protection of seals have been removed from the operations of the Newfoundland sealing fleet which sailed from here today on its annual hunt. Nine steamers made the start, eight for the northeast coast of the colony and one for the gulf of St. Lawrence. The work among the treacherous ice floes is dangerous and it is seldom that a season passes without some loss in the fleet.

Because the last two seasons were the most disastrous on record from the point of view of total catch and net value of seal products obtained, the government decided to suspend for this year the protective laws designed to prevent too serious depletion of the seal herds. In 1919 eleven vessels brought back 241,302 seal pelts with a net value of \$612,443. Last year the fleet of nine vessels obtained only 32,955 pelts with a net value of \$150,319.

The open season, legally from March 1 to April 30, is extended to May 1, with permission to take any seals found before March 1. Guns may be used to kill seals in the water; hood seals, an almost extinct variety which has been protected for several years, may be taken, and a second trip made to the sealing fields.

It had been planned to use an airplane to scout for seal herds, but the plane met with a minor mishap at St. John's, on the northeast coast, a few days ago and it is feared, needed new parts which cannot be obtained in time to enable it to assist in the sealing operations.

AS FOR THE OCEAN FAIRYMAN STRODE RIGHT OVER IT, TOO.

Soon the twins, accompanied by Flippety-Flap, the fairyman, were on their way to hunt the circus animals. Mind you, the whole lot of them had escaped, having been set loose by the gnomes.

"Now, then, let's see," said the fairyman, sitting down suddenly and looking at the sole of one of his immense shoes. "I keep all my notes and memoranda here. It's so convenient. And I've written down the names of every creature that used to be in the circus—his address, too. But I don't know the names of some of 'em and so enormous there wouldn't be enough shoes in the whole world to hold one of 'em. Take the elephant, for instance, his name is Rajah Singh. Allah Dings Mochapappa Lalluhuggarstan."

"What did you say?" asked Nancy.

"Lands o' goodness! I can only say it once in a day," replied the fairy. "The circus people called him 'Squeak' for short."

"Why?" asked Nick.

"Say," grinned Flippety-Flap. "If questions were dollars, I'd be able to start a bank, shouldn't I? I don't know why."

"He lives at—well, he lives in a jungle near a river in a far-off country. Now let's be off."

Flippety-Flap jumped to his feet and took an enormous stride. It seemed as though he must certainly have the seven-league boots, for he was almost out of sight at once.

Nancy and Nick told their green shoes to follow the fairyman, and instantly the faithful little servants were whisking the twins through the air after the fast-disappearing fairy. Flippety-Flap always kept one enormous step ahead over rivers and hills and lakes he led them, walking over water as though it were solid ground. As for the ocean, the fairyman strode right over it, shoving whales and icebergs out of his path with his toes, like so many pebbles.

(To Be Continued.)  
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# Gland Treatment Great Boon To Nervous People

Remarkable Experience of Woman Who Was Almost a Nervous Wreck for Two Years

"After being weak and run-down generally for the past two years, today I am strong and well as I ever was in my life," is the statement of Mrs. John Edwards, 16 Truro street, Boston, Mass., one of the thousands of people who have derived remarkable benefit from the famous Gland Extracts, as embodied in Glandex Compound.

"My nerves were always on edge," said Mrs. Edwards, "and I would become irritated and provoked at the least little thing. I seemed to be dreading something all the time, and had frequent fits of despondency. It was difficult for me to sleep, and often I would get up more exhausted than when I went to bed. My strength gradually left me until I had no ambition to work whatever. Food, no matter how dainty, had no taste for me. I tried various tonics and medicines but none seemed to do me any good. Then one day I saw an advertisement of Glandex Compound so I decided to give it a trial."

Brought Results Quickly

"It seemed to help me immediately. My nerves gradually became strong and calm. All my foolish fears disappeared and I could feel myself gaining strength every day.

"Today my appetite is just fine. I can eat and relish food of any kind without the least thought of ill. I sleep soundly every night and rarely ever feel tired. All traces of my former ailments have disappeared, thanks to Glandex Compound, and I have no hesitation in recommending it to others as a splendid health and strength builder."

How Glandex Compound Differs From Other Tonics

The experience of Mrs. Edwards is by no means unique. Hundreds of other men and women suffering from nervousness, loss of weight, anæmia, lack of energy, and general run-down conditions are reporting wonderful results from the use of animal gland extracts.

It has been found that our glands govern the building up process of the billions of cells in our body. If our glands are normal we enjoy youthful health, strength and energy. But when through illness, overwork, or various other causes our glands become run-down, we become weak, thin, nervous, lose our taste for food and our desire for pleasure or work.

Soon after this discovery was made, the wonderful success of the new famous monkey gland operations was made public. And a few months later it was announced that gratifying results had been obtained by the administration of Glandex Compound, drawn from these discoveries, that Glandex Compound is formulated and in addition to the Animal Gland Extracts it contains iron and other health-builders so it is really a double tonic in one.

No Risk Entailed

If you are nervous, thin, anæmic or just generally "run down," try Glandex Compound. You don't have to visit a penny. Get a bottle from your drugist today—if after a few days you do not feel that your health, strength and endurance have been noticeably increased, if you don't notice a great improvement in your nerves, you drugist will refund your money without question.—Adv.

## DETROIT UNIONS IGNORE GOMPERS' REPRIMAND

DETROIT, March 10.—A reprimand by Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, for what he termed support of the Russian soviet government by the Detroit Federation of Labor, has been followed by a vote that a representative of the local federation be sent to Moscow to attend a labor congress fostered by the soviet government and scheduled to open on May 1.

In his letter to the Detroit Federation, Mr. Gompers charged members with being "servants of the soviet government" and recommended that they occupy themselves "with organizing unorganized workers instead of spreading the doctrines of Lenin and Trotsky."

The criticism was the outgrowth of a request by Frank X. Martel, business representative of the Detroit organization that the executive board of the American Federation of Labor use its influence for removal of trade restrictions against Russia. Such a request, Mr. Gompers declared, had come to him from no other labor unions than those in or near Detroit.

## STUMP SAVED HIS LIFE

Man Hangs Half an Hour on Side of Precipice—Smokes to Pass Away Time

BRATTLEBORO, Vt., March 10.—Ralph Bullard of Holyoke, Mass., travelling salesman for a drygoods house, had a thrilling experience near West Townsend yesterday, in which he performed a feat that would have been performed a movie stunt.

He was on his way up the West River branch of the Central Vermont railroad, and on reaching West Townsend, where the ice had damaged the railroad so that it was necessary to transfer passengers for some distance, he decided that he would save time by making a short cut up over a hill on top of a high precipice.

He slipped and fell, landing astride a tree stump on the side of the precipice, far above the highway. He remained in his perilous position half an hour, meanwhile resorting to his pipe as a solace, until discovered by Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Stratton, who were out looking at the high water.

Mr. Stratton sent for a rope, and a crowd soon gathered. Among them was Morris O'Donnell of Brattleboro, a telephone lineman, who, with the aid of a rope and some small boys, hoisted Mr. Bullard up to firm footing.

Caution is now made from turning by a synthetic process.

## NEW RECORD FOR CONGRESSIONAL RECORD

WASHINGTON, March 10.—The Congressional Record outdid itself for brevity yesterday. It consisted of one page, printed on both sides and devoted mainly to editorials and letters inserted by senators during Tuesday's 10-minute session. There was no "leave to extend" remarks supplement, or any other reminder of the usual lengthy volume covering a day's deliberations. The issue is said to be probably the smallest ever published.

## DOINGS OF THE DUFFS

BY ALLMAN

WELL, LITTLE FELLOW—WHAT'S THAT YOU ARE DRAWING?

THAT'S A PICTURE OF A HOUSE AND A COW.

BUT I SEE NOTHING BUT A HOUSE.

OH, THAT'S ALL RIGHT—TH' COW'S BEHIND TH' HOUSE!

## Right for baby

Since 1857, has raised more babies than all other prepared foods combined.

**Borden's EAGLE BRAND Condensed Milk**

That dull depression, that dragged out spiritless condition—it's biliousness. Why be out of sorts with yourself and everybody else when one dose of Schenck's Mandrake Pills will do wonders for you.

30 years reputation for biliousness, constipation and bilious headache, etc.

25c per box—unwaxed or sugar coated.

Dr. J. H. Schenck & Son, Phila. Adv.

### You Can Afford a Farm in Fertile Ontario or Quebec

If you are one of those who left the farm to earn big wages in the mills and factories of New England, you realize how good a little farm in Canada would look right now. There, as your own master, you will be sure against unemployment, in a few years you may be independently wealthy. There your wife and children may enjoy the health, beauty, and outdoor life which means so much to them. You should have saved enough now to

### Get a Farm of Your Own in Canada

If your means will not permit you to buy an established farm, Ontario and Quebec offer great fertile sections where the pioneer can be put alone for himself and family—where prosperity and independence are to be won by those who will put forth the effort. Every branch of agriculture may be followed in these Provinces, dairying and stock raising are particularly successful.

For new free booklet, about Eastern Canada, with maps, etc., write Department of Immigration, Ottawa, Canada, or

**MAX A. BOWLBY**  
73 Tremont St., Boston Mass.  
Canadian Government Agent.

## Ends Stubborn Coughs in a Hurry

For real efficiency, this old home-made remedy has no equal. Easily and cheaply prepared.

You'll never know how quickly a bad cough can be conquered, until you try this famous old home-made remedy. Anyone who has coughed all day and all night, will say that this inhalant relief given is almost like magic. It takes but a moment to prepare, and really there is nothing better for coughs.

Into a pint bottle, add 2 1/2 ounces of Pinex, then add plain granulated sugar syrup to make a full pint. Or you can use clarified molasses, honey, or corn syrup, instead of sugar syrup. Either way, the full pint saves about two-thirds of the money usually spent for cough preparations, and gives you a more positive, effective remedy. It keeps ready, and tastes pleasant—children like it.

You can feel this take hold instantly, soothing and healing the membranes in all the air passages. It promptly loosens a dry, tight cough, and soon you will notice the phlegm thin out and then disappear altogether. A day's use will usually bring up an ordinary throat or chest cold, and it is also splendid for bronchitis, croup, hoarseness, and bronchial asthma.

Pinex is a most valuable concentrated compound of genuine Norway pine extract, the most reliable remedy for throat and chest ailments.

To avoid disappointment, ask your druggist for "2 1/2 ounces of Pinex" with directions and don't accept anything else. Guaranteed to give absolute satisfaction or money refunded. The Pinex Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

## Use Pyramid Be Happy

If Endurance Is Being Tried to the Limit Get a Box of Pyramid File Suppositories

If you are struggling with the pain and discomfort of itching, bleeding, protruding piles or hemorrhoids, no over to any drug store and get a 50 cent box of Pyramid File Suppositories. Take no substitute. Relief should come so quickly you will wonder why anyone should continue to suffer the pain of such a distressing condition. For a free trial package, send name and address to Pyramid Drug Co., 606 Pyramid Bldg., Marshall, Mich.

## Doctor Prescribes D.D.D. for Banker

Write to H. J. Bowers, Cashier First National Bank, Tracy City, Tenn.

The worst case of Eczema I believe anyone ever experienced. Was telling me with. Sent for my doctor. He recommended D.D.D. I received relief from the very first application.

Anyone suffering from this terrible mild or severe—should investigate at once the merits of D.D.D. Try it today. We guarantee the first bottle, 15c, free of cost.

**D.D.D.**  
THE Lotion for Skin Diseases  
DOES TWO DRUG STORES



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# If Census-Taker Missed You, Polk Has Cause and Cure



R. L. POLK, WHO SAYS: "ONE FAULT OF THE FEDERAL CENSUS IS THAT IT'S TAKEN IN WINTER. SUMMER IS A BETTER TIME FOR THIS WORK."

(By Newspaper Enterprise)  
DETHROIT, March 10.—Were you counted? Were all your relatives and friends counted?

If you weren't—if they weren't—you have a personal as well as a patriotic interest in this indictment of Uncle Sam as a census-taker, made by R. L. Polk, 71-year-old head of the largest directory publishing company in the world.

"The government census taken every ten years is grossly inaccurate. A better job would be done if the government put the job in the hands of experts,"

Polk suggests the Association of North American Directory Publishers. "It's quite possible that within the next ten years so much discontent with the last census will be voiced, and such a demand will be made generally for an accurate census, that the government will ask the association to direct the work," Polk says.

## Veterans at Work

Polk knows all about census taking. From a beginning as a 17-year-old directory canvasser, when he was 20, he has built up a concern which publishes more than 500 directories.

Polk puts out directories for 32 of the 65 American cities with more than 100,000 residents. These include New York, Detroit, Cleveland, St. Louis, Baltimore, Pittsburgh, Los Angeles, New Orleans, Milwaukee and Washington. From as far south as Honolulu, Hawaii, to as far north as Alaska, his 4000 employees are at work.

The directories' population totals for cities and states are usually 10 per cent higher than those of the census bureau, and are the more accurate, Polk asserts.

## FRATERNAL NEWS

The regular meeting of Lowell lodge 615, Loyal Order of Moose, was held last evening in Odd Fellows' building, Middlesex street, with Dictator Ernest P. Parsons in the chair. Routine business was transacted and a feature of the evening was the election of officers, which resulted as follows: Edward St. Leger, dictator; David A. Harriett, vice dictator; William Booth, prelate; John M. Hogan, treasurer; Patrick R. Monahan, trustee; Arthur J. Bernard, pianist; Ernest P. Parsons, delegate to supreme lodge; James W. McKenna, alternate. The installation will take place on the evening of March 23. At the close of the business session a social hour was held and entertainment numbers were given by Al Forest, Edward Donahue, James E. Donnelly, Dewire sisters.

Thomas A. Green, Stephen Anderson and John J. Driscoll.  
Ladd and Whitney Circle  
Routine business was transacted and the following committees were appointed at the regular meeting of Ladd and Whitney circle, 8, Ladies of the G.A.R., which was held last evening: Executive, Mrs. Alice Davis, chairman; Mrs. Albert Davis, Mrs. Mabel Kennedy, Mrs. Mary Mack and Mrs. Blaisdell; Finance committee, Mrs. Stone, chairman; Mrs. Dickerman and Mrs. Peabody; visiting committee, Mrs. Bryant, chairman; Mrs. Gardner, Mrs. Alice Davis, Mrs. Stone and Mrs. Alice Phelps; relief committee, Mrs. Gardner, chairman; Mrs. Clark and Mrs. Boynton.  
An invitation from B. F. Butler Relief Corps was read and accepted.  
Foresters of America  
The committee composed of members of the local courts of the Forest-

ers of America, having in charge the grand class initiation which will be held Sunday afternoon, March 20, in Odd Fellows' building, Middlesex street, has been kept on the jump the past three weeks, making plans and attending to the rehearsals of the degree team, which will carry out the initiation ritual. A rehearsal will be held this evening after the meeting.

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# Real Lemon Pie or Chocolate—almost ready-made

The makers of Jiffy-Jell now offer Jiffy-Pie. And we will buy one pie for every Jiffy-Jell user, under the offer below.

Jiffy Lemon Pie brings you all the ingredients—the sugar, egg yolk, powdered milk, corn starch and tapioca.

The lemon essence—derived from lemon peel—comes in liquid form in a bottle.

Simply add water, cook the mixture a little and fill your pie.

In this quick way you get the most delicious Lemon Pie that expert cooks can make. And Lemon is the queen of pies. Think how often you can serve it when so easily prepared.

So with Jiffy Chocolate Pie. The ingredients all come in the package.

We buy one pie  
Jiffy-Pie, Lemon or Chocolate. He will charge the pie to us.

Accept this offer. Serve one pie as our treat, and learn what delicious new dessert we have created for you. Cut out coupon now.

Buy from your grocer 3 packages Jiffy-Jell in any fruit flavors you like. The flavors, you know, come in vials.  
Then present this coupon and your grocer will give you one

GOOD FOR ONE PIE 651  
To All Grocers: Send us all coupons you receive. Bill the grocer for each. Answer to that you delivered Jiffy-Jell and Jiffy-Pie as per this offer.  
Jiffy Dessert Co., Waukegan, Wis.

Cherry &amp; Webb

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# Spring Opening Sale of Tailored and Dressy SUITS for Easter Wear

Lowell women know about fashion, tailoring and values. The Cherry & Webb standard is adhered to in every suit of this special selection representing the best models of the world's leading designers.

For Three Days, Commencing  
FRIDAY AT 9.30 A. M.

Your choice of these suits as per illustrations selling  
to \$55.00—all best tricotine cloth, hand tailored,

# \$39.75

Ladies' and Misses' Sizes, 16 to 50



This sale has been  
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400 SUITS  
For a Choice.

# CHERRY & WEBB

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John Street

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## How to Tint Your Gray Hair at Home

If your hair is graying or is faded and streaked, do not let it become any more unattractive. No matter whether its original youthful color was golden or black, or any shade of brown, all you need is a bottle of Brownatone to instantly restore its beauty in a manner that defies detection. This famous preparation is as simple and easy to use as manicuring your nails.



Special Free Trial Offer  
Every package of Brownatone contains full, simple directions for working its magic on gray, faded or streaked hair. Guaranteed absolutely harmless. At all leading druggists in the land, \$1.50 packages. Two colors: "Light to Medium Brown" and "Dark Brown to Black." Send to The Kenon Chemical Co., 18 Copper Ridge, Covington, Ky., enclosing 11 cents in postage, packing and war tax, for a free trial package of Brownatone.

of Court Gen. Shields in Grafton hall and every member of the degree team is expected to be present. Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock a dress rehearsal will be held in Odd Fellows' building when all details will be gone over with the officers and secretaries of the various courts.

The card games organized by the committee are taking up a great deal of the spare time of the members and great rivalry exists between the teams of the different courts. Court Middlesex expects to have a social hour at the summons meeting later this month and plans for the affair are now under way.

Centralville Lodge  
There was a large attendance at the entertainment given Tuesday night in Odd Fellows hall, Bridge street. The affair was under the auspices of Centralville lodge, I.O.O.F., and its success reflected greatly upon the organizers. The program was as follows: Selection, orchestra, quartet, Miss Thompson, Mrs. Roberts, Mr. Brennan and Mr. Needham; reading, Mrs. Lillian Dodge Haskell; bass solo, Harry Needham; soprano solo, Miss Rita Thompson; selection, orchestra reading, Mrs. Doris York of Granville; tenor solo, Michael Brennan; duet, Mrs. Thompson and Mr. Needham; alto solo, Mrs. Roberts; reading, Mrs. Lillian Dodge Haskell; selection, orchestra, Miss Greta Darling, Miss Helen Fox, Miss Isabel Roy and Miss Mildred Taylor; Miss Harriet Mansur, accompanist.



The "Food-Drink" for All Ages.  
Quick Lunch at Home, Office, and Fountains. Ask for HORLICK'S.  
Avoid Imitations & Substitutes

## APPEAL TO HARDING TO HALT WAGE CUT

OMAHA, Neb., March 10.—President Harding was appealed to last night by representatives of packing house employees in a telegram requesting that he try to prevent a proposed reduction of wages and readjustment of working hours, which have been announced by meat packers to become effective March 14.

Samuel Compers, president of the American Federation of Labor, was asked in another telegram to go to the White House, as the representative of the Meat Cutters' union, and urge immediate action. He was asked also to call a meeting Monday in Chicago of all allied unions working for the packers to outline concerted action in event of a strike.

Suggest Federal Control  
Delegates to the conference here called by the Amalgamated Meat Cutters and Butchers Workmen of North America, voted unanimously yesterday to appeal to the president to forestall abrogation of the war-time agreement between the packers and their employees.

The conference also adopted a resolution requesting the president "use his good offices to compel the packers to comply with the agreement entered into with the government," and urges that unless the packers consent, he "exercise his power to place the packing house industry under government control and operation and publicly brand the present owners and managers of the industry as a menace to the government and society in general."

means authorization for a strike affecting all packing house employees of the United States and Canada.

The delegates present were unanimously in favor of striking if the changes announced by the packers are put into effect, according to Mr. Lane. A referendum vote will be necessary, however, before the strike order can be issued, he said.

## Charges Against Packers

"We charge," the telegram to President Harding said, "that the packers, having forced livestock prices down to a lower than pre-war level and having filled their storehouses to overflowing with meat bought at the lowest of prices on the hoof, now propose to cripple industry deliberately, for the purpose of unloading this meat at enhanced prices upon the public, thereby achieving the double purpose of enormous profits by adding to the cost of living to the general public, and of striking, at the same time, a body blow

at organized labor for the purpose of destroying it."

Packers Deny Charges  
Denial that the packers had large stores of meat on hand was made in a statement last night by Richard Hebb of Chicago, speaking for the packers. He said that storage stocks on hand on Feb. 25 were but 33,000,000 pounds more than the same date last year and 61,000,000 pounds lower than in 1919.

A statement denying that the packers "would welcome a strike as a means of getting rid of accumulated products which now were in storage," was also issued by J. Ogden Armour.

## Cut Prices On SHOE REPAIRING

Men's sewed tap and rubber heels, \$1.50; ladies' sewed tap and rubber heels, \$1.10. Work guaranteed.

ACRE SHOE REPAIR SHOP  
121 Fletcher Street



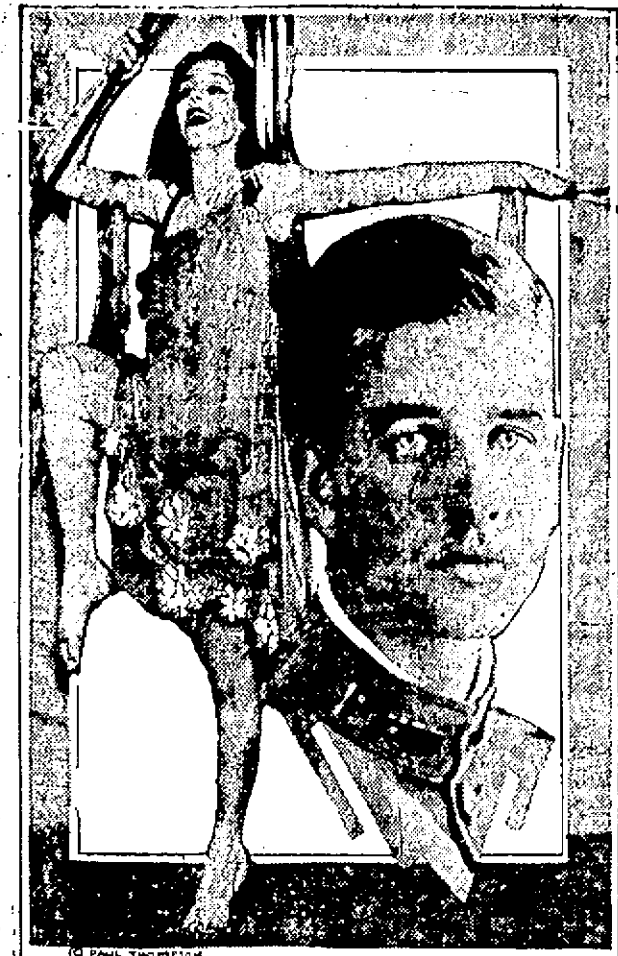
# Aspirin

Take only as Told

In each package of genuine "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" are directions and dosage worked out by physicians during 21 years, and proved safe by millions.

Take no chances. If you see the "Bayer Cross" on tablets, take them without fear.

Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets cost but a few cents—Larger packages. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monocarbonylbenzoic acid of Bayer AG.



THEY'RE MARRIED

The above pictures are of Cornelius Vanderbilt Whitney, son of Mrs. Harry Payne Whitney of New York, and Miss Eva Burrows Pontaine, Oriental dancer, whose marriage was recently announced.

TEN PER CENT OIL TAX

Huerta, Obregon's Aide, Says It's Needed to Re-establish Mexico

BY C. H. NEWELL  
MEXICO CITY, March 10.—"A fair tax on all petroleum produced in Mexico would be a straight 10 per cent, of its value," says Adolfo de la Huerta. He gave up the provisional presidency to General Obregon—an office that few Mexicans give up while alive. He is now secretary of the treasury as one of Obregon's cabinet ministers.

"Petroleum producers in Mexico are taxed less than they are in Oklahoma and Texas," was his next remark in the course of an interview, during which he talked freely of Mexico's financial problem. He said he had figures to prove this:

"Americans here who have studied the situation say Huerta's statement about the oil taxes are true. They say that if the oil taxes are raised to 10 per cent, the government will be able to pay its debts and settle the oil dispute with Mexico."

Expenses Increase

"Mexico's annual revenue has been about 200,000,000 pesos," said Huerta. "It was badly administered under Carranza. Our problem is to increase that revenue by eliminating graft, fostering new industries, and increasing production. Another important task is to expend it wisely."

"Our annual expense in 1920 was about 210,000,000 pesos. It will increase this year to about 230,000,000 pesos. That is an extravagance."

"Under Carranza government employees were hired at approximately the same salaries they get now. But they got only 75 per cent. of what they were supposed to get. Now they get all they are entitled to and so the government is not threatened by internal revolt."

"But we need more money to re-establish Mexico's credit, and the only way to do that is to pay back interest and refund our national debt."

"That's why I think a fair tax on Mexican petroleum would be a straight 10 per cent. of its value. Oil companies need not say that such a tax would bankrupt them. They all paid big dividends last year."

"Business in Mexico needs fostering."

"Full protection of all foreign interests and competition free from special privilege is the program we have evolved for putting Mexico back on her feet economically."

PARTHENAIS APPOINTED

Governor's Council Confirms Appointment of Deputy Income Tax Collector

(Special to The Sun)  
BOSTON, March 10.—The governor's council yesterday confirmed the appointment of Herve D. Parthenais, 815



HERVE D. PARTHENAIS

Merrimack street, Lowell, as deputy income tax collector in place of Henry Gilbride of Lowell, who has resigned to practice law. Parthenais was a first lieutenant during the war, and served in France as an instructor at the officers' school.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

(By Theatres' Own Press Agents)  
MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE  
There's a program of more than ordinary merit being shown at the Merrimack Square theatre during the latter half of the week. Fanning Frederick is adding to her thousands of admirers by her work in "Roads of Destiny," one of O. Henry's best works, adapted for the screen by Channing Pollock. Miss Frederick plays the role of Rose Merritt who finds that she cannot escape the fate that has been woven into her life no matter where she goes or what she does. The three episodes in which the star plays entirely different roles, yet that of the same woman, give ample opportunity for diversity and picturesqueness of scenery. Jack Pickford in "Just Out of College" presents the popular young star in a most entertaining production. Other features include views of President Harding's inauguration, a short comedy, the International News and a Burton Holmes travel picture.

OPERA HOUSE

Simplicity in story and characters—real, human present-day people you all know and have read about, is what makes "Daddy Dimples" the comedy drama being given this week by the Lowell Players at the Opera House the acceptable offering it really is. You can't help loving old "Daddy" as portrayed by Milton Byron, while the others of the cast help materially in making it what it is—one of the most enjoyable stage offerings of the season. Don't miss it. You will be the better for it.

For next week the management will



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Does your coffee at your breakfast or dinner table mean an anticipated moment in your day? Does it bring a big smile in every single sip? It will—if it's La Touraine.

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Once you have tasted real coffee flavor—once you have known the aroma of fresh, finely blended, perfectly roasted La Touraine—you will never want any other. The millions of users of La Touraine coffee have named it "The Coffee of Good Taste," because it always makes coffee of which you can be proud.

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Many people who could pay any price for coffee prefer La Touraine because its special snap seems a new thing in coffee flavor. La Touraine users often say it is coffee plus. But

La Touraine is just good coffee—more carefully selected, more painstakingly blended, more expertly roasted, because of the La Touraine Formula.

What the Formula Means

The secret of the "something" which La Touraine has, and you have always looked for in coffee, lies in the La Touraine Formula. According to this famous formula, certain coffees—the finest types of their kind—are carefully chosen from world-wide markets. They are always the same mature, high-grade beans, whatever it may cost us to get them. These are blended in a special way that combines the finest flavor of each, and roasted with the care a chef would lavish on a matchless dish. The La Touraine Formula is the real reason for La Touraine's goodness.

Insist on the La Touraine Package

Do not accept La Touraine unless it is in the La Touraine package. Buy it in the package marked "bean" and have your grocer grind it fresh for you. You will then get the utmost flavor in your cup.

La Touraine "The Coffee of Good Taste"

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YOU HAVE ONLY ONE MOTHER—

Today She May Be Weak and Nervous

Overwork, worry and the duties of Motherhood may have sapped the iron from her blood and robbed her of her bodily and mental vigor—HOW TO HELP HER.

IT WAS YOUR MOTHER WHO MADE THE FIRST SACRIFICE THAT YOU MIGHT LIVE.

WHEN ALL OTHER FRIENDS TURN AWAY FROM YOU, YOUR MOTHER YET REMAINS. If you are ill, it is her tender hand that strokes your feverish brow. If financial disaster overtakes you and you lose your hard earnings of years and all others forsake you, THERE WILL STILL BE YOUR MOTHER with words of comfort and cheer, ready to offer any sacrifice that may help you.

TODAY MAY BE YOUR OPPORTUNITY TO HELP YOUR MOTHER

She may be suffering from iron starvation of the blood—THOUSANDS OF WOMEN SUFFER FROM THE GREAT DEVIL—WIZING WEAKNESS AND NERVOUSNESS caused by iron starvation without ever suspecting the real cause of their trouble.

"They think that they are weak and nervous as a result of age, worry or overwork," you think that their disturbed digestion, headaches, heart palpitation, shortness of breath, pains across the back, etc., are due to some serious disease, which is often not the case at all—their blood has simply thinned out and become pale, thin and watery and is starving for iron. This is proven by the fact that when many of these same women take organic iron for a while their alarming symptoms quickly disappear and they become strong, robust and healthy. You must have iron to enable your blood to change the food you eat into living cells and tissue. Without iron this change cannot be made and as a consequence, nothing you eat does you the proper amount of good—you do not get the full strength out of it. Women especially need iron more than men as their indoor life and the strain they are under, renders them more anemic.

It is astonishing how very few women after thirty years of age, have sufficient iron in their blood, and it is almost equally surprising how many girls are affected in the same way. Lack of iron not only brings on a devastating weakness but it makes a woman look old very quickly as it takes away the youthful freshness from her lips and cheeks and the sparkle and life from her eyes and even gives her face a haggard and "drawn" look.

IF YOU WISH TO RENDER YOUR MOTHER A REAL SERVICE, take her to a medical laboratory and have a "blood count" made of her red blood corpuscles and see just how anemic she may be—if you do not want to do this, insist that she eat more spinach and other iron-containing vegetables and take organic iron with them for a month and see what a difference it makes.

Thousands of women have a surprisingly increased their strength, energy and endurance in two weeks time by this simple experiment. But in making this test be sure that the iron you take is organic iron and not metallic or mineral iron which is usually taken.



MOTHER IS THE GRANDEST NAME IN THE WORLD! Think of the suffering your mother has endured for you—Everybody in the family complains but mother—when your mother passes from life you will never have another. Help her in every way while you can.

Present the Players in the big Rex Beach story, "The Barrister." Little else is needed to recommend this piece to playgoers than the name of the author in reference to its past success. Order your tickets early. Tel. 251.

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE  
Miss Juliet, who is headlined at the B. F. Keith theatre this week gives by long odds the best bit of impersonation seen on a local stage in years. Her range of subjects is very wide, and her audience is at liberty to select those noted persons of the theatre it wishes her to imitate. Billy Gilson, the popular comedian and singer, is another prime favorite of this big bill. He has always been a favorite here, and yet has never gone as "big" as on the present occasion. Charles Chaplin in "The Kid" occupies a niche on this bill. That the picture is the best one Chaplin ever put out cannot be doubted. The drawing power of Chaplin and the Kid, Jackie Coogan, holds those in the theatre for a full hour. Other acts on the bill are: Stanley & Lea, Fred & Daisy Rial and Will and May LaVar.

On Saturday, beginning at 10.30 a.m., a special performance of the Chaplin picture will be given for children only. In view of the widespread desire to see this picture the management has decided to give this extra performance.

THE STRAND  
"The Challenge of the Law," with William Russell in the principal role, is making an unequalled hit with the motion picture patrons of the city. The star is seen in the role of a captain of the Royal Northwest Mounted Police, who is assigned to the work of cleaning up a group of the smugglers who are bringing the game into the United States illicitly. While engaged in the work the captain falls in love with the daughter of the leader of the smugglers, whom he later captures and confines to ten years in prison. The girl breaks her engagement to him and aids in the liberation of her father.

All Bent Over  
Rochester, N. Y.:—"Last fall I had the influenza and my kidneys became congested and swollen. My back hurt me so I would have to walk all bent over. I also had bladder weakness. I took Dr. Pierce's An-uric (anti-uric acid) tablets and they so completely cured me that I have not had any return of this condition since. I consider 'An-uric' the best medicine I have ever taken."—MRS. MARIE STEWART, 152 Caledonia Ave.

from jail. With him and two other smugglers she flees across the border to Mexico. The captain follows doggedly after and when the girl sees him approaching pushes her father on and taking a pistol awaits his coming with the intention of killing him. She can't muster up enough courage to kill him in cold blood and is herself placed under arrest by him. Thrilling developments follow and after a series of interesting events things are cleared and the pair reunited.

"The Breath of the Gods" is a Universal Jewel Special production with Tsuru Aoki, (Mrs. Sessue Hayakawa) in the stellar role. It's a gripping, absorbing story involving a pretty Japanese, a French painter and an American diplomat in which the forces of the three countries are thrown into conflict. The outcome is satisfying, but not until some intensely interesting situations have been cleared up. The star is seen at her best. Don't miss the special feature, as well as the rest of the program.

Ten states have shown their indifference or hostility to prohibition by failing to enact laws enforcing the eighteenth amendment.

PLUMBING CONSTRUCTION  
Local Board of Health Representatives Opposed to Bill Providing Uniform Set of Rules and Regulations  
Several representatives of the local health department were recorded in opposition to house bill 232, providing for a uniform set of rules and regulations governing plumbing construction in all cities of the state, at a hearing given by the legislative committee on public health at the state house yesterday. John E. Drury of the board of health, Agent Francis J. O'Brien and Plumbing Inspector Charles N. Atwood were present and were prepared to speak in opposition to the bill. But owing to the large number of opponents who were heard before them they simply recorded themselves as being against the proposed measure. The Master Plumbers' association was strongly in favor of the bill and John J. Sullivan of this city was among those who urged the adoption of the measure. The Journeymen Plumbers' association, the Real Estate association of Boston, the Engineers' Club of Boston, representatives of the water departments of several cities and various private individuals were recorded in opposition.

TRADES & LABOR COUNCIL  
Vice President Timothy F. O'Rourke occupied the chair at the regular weekly meeting of the Trades & Labor council, which was held last evening in Trades & Labor hall, Central street. There was a large attendance, routine business was transacted and resolutions endorsing the reported attitude of the chamber of commerce on municipal affairs before the municipal council recently were adopted.

ELECTRICAL WORKERS  
The electrical workers of the Boston & Maine car shops in Billerica were entertained at a banquet last evening by one of their fellow workers, Frederick H. Wilton. The affair was held in Odd Fellows building, Middlesex street, and proved very enjoyable. The arrangements for the banquet were under the direction of John Delaney and David Gilechrist.

Between 1850 and 1907 the annual per capita consumption of all liquors in this country rose from 10 to nearly 23 gallons.

Mexico's national debts to foreigners amount to more than \$370,000,000.

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PARTNERS

Woodrow Wilson (right) has announced that he will take up the practice of law with former Secretary of State Bainbridge Colby (left). They will have offices in New York and Washington.

### Test Runs for Superdreadnought

ROCKLAND, Me., March 10.—The superdreadnought Tennessee is to be given test runs out of this port early next month, it was learned today. She will probably be put over the mile course off Owl's Head for speed spins and be sent out to sea on endurance runs. The Tennessee has recently had her electrical motive machinery overhauled and revised.

### 4 Filipinos Killed and 11 Wounded

MANILA, March 9.—(By Associated Press)—Four Filipinos were killed and 11 wounded by a band of mountaineers armed with bolos, who raided a cockpit in Iloilo province, three hundred miles southeast of here, according to advices reaching here today.

## Self-Service Grocery Store

Cream of Wheat	26c
Puffed Rice	12c
Jersey Corn Flakes	8c
Sunkist Sliced Pineapple (2½)	38c
Prunes	16c
Sunkist Seeded Raisins	28c
Currants	18c
Pink Salmon (can)	12c
Libby's Red Salmon	34c
Omar Salmon (flat can)	30c
Friend's Beans	23c
Rinso	6½c
Lux	11c
P. & G. Naphtha Soap	7c
Bee Soap	7c
Welcome Soap	7c
Worcester Salt, (10 lb. bag)	28c
Mueller's Macaroni	11c
Ralston (large)	24c
Shredded Wheat	13c
Kellogg's Corn Flakes	11c
Baker's Coconut, (¼ lb.)	11c
Howard's Salad Dressing	30c
Cream Corn Starch	11c
Mazola Oil (qts.)	55c
Crisco, lb.	23c
Yellow Corn Meal (pkg.)	12c
California Pea Beans	6c
Scrub Not Compound	19c
Snider's Ketchup	26c
Blue Label Ketchup	26c
Quaker Oats (large) pkg.	25c
Gold Medal Oats, pkg.	7c
Cut Beets, No. 3 can	14c
Rumford Baking Powder (large)	28c
Campbell's Beans	10c
Baker & Pess Extract	28c
Challenge Milk	17c
Borden's Eagle Milk	23c
Lipton's Tea (½ lb.)	35c
Alligator Molasses (gal.)	67c
Lily of Valley Golden Bantam Corn	22c
Sunkist Sliced Peaches (2½ can)	39c
Meadow Brook Butter	64c
Extra Fancy Carton Eggs	47c
Hops, lb.	65c
Maine Style Corn (fancy) can	12c
Friend's Brown Bread	17c
Fletcher's Coffee, in tins, lb.	40c
Garden of Allah Coffee	39c
Chase & Sanborn Coffee	40c

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PRESCOTT STREET

### CHAMBER SEEKS TO SPEED UP EXPRESS

Lowell merchants are asked by the local chamber of commerce to co-operate with the express companies in their efforts to reduce "on hand" matter. The express companies are sending out appeals to all commercial organizations stating that on account of the immense traffic by express, the "on hand" matter has increased in volume, requiring special attention to store and keep track of these shipments until delivery can be made. The local express companies are joining in the campaign and making special efforts to make deliveries and keep down "on hand" matter.

Certain proportion of shipments by express cannot be delivered by express drivers.

It is an advantage to the transient shipper to have the express carriers hold his goods for him until he arrives, and to do so without added expense, but it was not intended that regular express patrons would ask or expect the carrier to store their goods while some argument between shipper and consignee was being settled. Through the express companies do not generally charge for storing shipments, official information is to the effect that some such step may be taken unless the situation improves.

### WORCESTER MAN GUEST OF LOCAL JEWELERS

Harry H. Wright, jeweler of Worcester, was the guest of the members of the Lowell Retail Jewelers' association at their meeting in the chamber of commerce rooms last night at 7 o'clock. He addressed the members present on the system of watch repairing. An invitation was extended to him to attend the Lowell Jewelers' outing during the coming summer. Announcements were made by A. H. Abbott, president, and Frank Ricard, secretary of the organization, relative to the annual convention of the Massachusetts and Rhode Island Retail Jewelers to be held in the Copley Plaza hotel, Boston, March 23 and 24. Arrangements are being made for the entertainment of the delegates to the convention and the first evening's program will include automobile rides, luncheon, tea, theatre parties and banquet. Lowell jewelers desiring to attend are to have their applications in before March 15. Attempts are being made by the officers of the local organization to have the Lowell body, which is the largest of its kind in this state, well represented. Morris Schankman, manufacturing jeweler, spoke along the lines of trading with the public and the retail jewelers.

### SILVER DOLLARS ARE VERY UNPOPULAR

Did you know that money is sometimes unpopular? No, this isn't a joke. We don't mean Austrian crowns, but good American specie—round silver dollars. The announcement that the government mints have begun to produce silver dollars for 1921 led to an investigation of the probable arrival of these pieces in Lowell. And it was learned that the local date has been set for sending new coins to the national bank. Furthermore, it was discovered that silver dollars are extremely unpopular in ordinary circulation. At one of the local banks it was stated that these are often shipped to Boston, to get them out of circulation locally, as they are difficult to handle and not desired with any great activity in change. Only the national banks will get these pieces, it was stated at a downtown savings bank. So all the Lowell banking institutions do not have to worry about disposing of the unwieldy round boys.

### DIVIDEND DECLARED

NEW YORK, March 10.—Directors of the Phelps Dodge corporation, copper producers, today declared a quarterly dividend of \$1 a share, compared with the previous rate of \$2.50 a share.

### Allies to Coerce Germany

ple food supply. He has stated, however, that the people must obey regulations.

While the presence of allied troops has been accepted in good grace by most of the people, business men in the occupied districts are worried over the consequences of the new customs system. Reports are current that certain factories have cancelled orders amounting to 60,000,000 marks.

People of the middle and working classes fear there will be an increase in the cost of living. They are laying in stocks of provisions and are being stingy stores. In some cases, fear is expressed that stocks of food will be rapidly exhausted.

### Simon's Position Secure

LONDON, March 10.—Reports that Dr. Walter Simon, head of the German delegation at the reparations conference, is being censured in government circles in Berlin, are not confirmed in direct advices from that city. It is declared that his position is considered secure and that criticism of his procedure in London was based on a misapprehension of the situation here.

### ADDRESSED GIRLS' CLUB

A meeting of the Women's Advisory committee of the Girls' City club of Lowell, took place this afternoon. The gathering was addressed by Miss Gutterman, secretary of the Massachusetts league of girls' clubs, which has its headquarters at 5 Newbury street, Boston. Secretary Gutterman discussed methods of keeping the various girls' clubs of the state in contact for their mutual benefit.

### SPECIAL SALE

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PRUNES, Fresh and Mealy, lb. 10c

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RICH OLD CHEESE, lb. 23c

HORLICK'S MALTED MILK 38c

HERBOX BOUILLON CUBES, 3 for 5c

CAL. BUTTERED WALNUTS, lb. 20c

HILLSDALE ASPARAGUS TIPS, can 15c

PHEASANT, DEVILED MEAT, can 5c

SUNKIST ORANGES, doz. 29c

SALMON, tall can 12½c

## We Promise You GREAT SAVINGS

At this week-end sale. Fresh arrival of BEEF, LAMB, VEAL and PORK

FRESH MILK FED FOWL, lb. 35c

GENUINE LEGS LAMB, Spring, lb. 28c

LEGS VEAL, lb. 18c

Fores of Veal, 10¢ Lb.

Smoked Shoulders, Sugar Cured, 19c

SALT PORK, Heavy, lb. 18c

Gold Medal Flour ½ bbl \$5.99

## 11c Specials

3 ROLLS TOILET PAPER 11c

JERSEY CORN FLAKES 11c

CAMPBELL'S PORK & BEANS 11c

SUNKIST PORK & BEANS 11c

JELLO, all flavors 11c

GREEN PEAS 11c

WARNER'S SPAGHETTI 11c

TOMATOES, No. 3, large can 11c

SALSOA, pkg. 11c

WHITE ROSE SOAP, 3 cakes for 11c

CLOVES, pkg. 11c

ALLSPICE, pkg. 11c

JELLY MONGE, 2 for 11c

LARGE LOAF BREAD 11c

### Cat Cemetery Needed

Continued

Wishing to show it all due respect in death she had conceived the idea of having it buried in her own lot in the Edison cemetery, but was not sure whether there would be objections on the part of the health authorities.

The health office registrar saw no reason why the cat should not have a resting place in a duly appointed burial ground, but having no jurisdiction in the matter she referred the applicant to Agent Francis J. O'Hare, Mr. O'Hare took a decidedly different view of the matter. His decision was an emphatic "No." He was sure that the regulations forbade any such procedure. The cemeteries were reserved as places for the burial of the dead.

"But my cat is dead," persisted the visitor from South Lowell in mournful tones. She saw no reason for discrimination in death.

"But I refer to dead human beings," countered Agent O'Hare.

However, the matter seemed more or less in the air. The South Lowell lady abhorred the idea of interring the cat in anything but ground specifically set apart for burial purposes. Somebody hit on the idea of getting an opinion from the cemetery commissioners on the matter. So William H. Riggs, chairman of the board, was called. He admitted that the case was unusual, but that he personally would be opposed to the burial of an animal in a cemetery set aside for human beings. He referred the inquirer to the clerk of the cemetery, Miss Mountford.

She, in turn, referred to the provisions of the deeds to the lots in the Edison cemetery. In the very first clause she found that only human beings could be buried there. In order to buy a lot, the purchaser must accept that provision.

That proved the solution to the whole matter. The cat could not be buried in the family plot of its owner. It must be gathered to its fathers from some other resting place. The written words were inexorable and there could be no exemption from the rules.

Now comes the question of providing a suitable burial place for beloved pussies whose owners wish to honor their memory. There is no such place in Lowell. Outside of Boston there is an elaborate cat and dog cemetery, dotted with artistic headstones much like those found in a cemetery reserved for human beings. Whether there are enough animal lovers in Lowell to finance such a project here is open to debate, but there is little doubt but what the gentle visitor from South Lowell would contribute promptly and gladly to any such undertaking.

The English derby has been won by the favorite on more than fifty occasions.

### PANAMA AGREES TO ARBITRATION

GENEVA, March 10.—Panama, in its note to the League of Nations expressing willingness to submit the conflict with Costa Rica to the court of arbitration at The Hague or the International court of justice of the League of Nations.

It is considered possible here that the conflict may be settled by the council of the league.

England cast the first one-piece iron cannon in 1543.

### 700 Boatmen Strike at New York

NEW YORK, March 10.—Approximately seven hundred men employed in the loading and unloading of coal and grain barges in this port went on strike today in protest against a wage cut, the Tidewater Boatmen's union announced. The walkout was directed against about a dozen concerns, which reduced wages from \$110 a month to \$90. Union officials said that the large concerns and a number of the smaller companies had not attempted a reduction.

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SPECIAL—Boys' Strictly All Wool Blue Serge Suits, good weight and good make, for the small sum of **\$10.00**

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**\$3.00 and \$3.50** Shirts, in grey only.

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**\$5.00 and \$5.50** Shirts, in grey only. Sale price **\$2.48**

**\$6.00 and \$6.50** Shirts, in grey and khaki. Sale price **\$2.98**

**\$7.00 and \$7.50** Shirts, in grey and khaki. Sale price **\$3.75**

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New Spring Hats are certainly pretty, dark and light brown shades, very popular, also much cheaper than last fall.

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Cheaper Hats also **\$3, \$3.50, \$4**

EXTRA SPECIAL—25 Boys' Suits, in mixtures and blue serge, that sold \$10, \$12.95 and \$15, mostly 17 and 18 sizes. Sale price **\$4.95**





## Sporting News and Newsy Sports

LOWELL DEFEATED AT REAL ACTION EXPECTED  
WORCESTER, 6 TO 3 WHEN DUFFYS CLASH

WORCESTER, March 10.—Lowell gave Worcester a tough battle here last night although beaten to the tune of 6 to 3. The game was much more even than the score shows, but remarkable work at goal by Pence saved the game for the local team. The lineup:

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Real action is expected to result when Billy Duffy of Everett and Jimmy Duffy of New York, two descendants from the Emerald Isle, get together in the main event of the rounds at the Crescent. Both are past masters in the art of slug. They can stand in there and tear away like a couple of tigers. The Everett Duffy also can stand off and box, but Jimmy's long suit is boxing in and beating away all the while. As both boys have been seen in action here before, interest is about evenly divided as to which will be the probable winner.

Billy Duffy has boxed four times in the local ring and has not lost a decision. His battles with Johnny Ayala and Johnny Dugan were real thrillers, and while all fans did not agree with the decisions rendered in both cases, all were unanimous that the Everett put up great battles.

Jimmy Duffy a year or so ago appeared here so often that he was almost considered a "home" fighter. In fact, one time he was contemplating taking up his residence here. He always won friends here and he is out to make new friends tonight.

It is said that two boys of the same name meet in a ring. And Duffy is the real name of each. This fact is known to make the rivalry all the keener.

Billy Murphy of Lowell will meet Young McDonough of Boston in an eight-round number. Young Christy Whelan and Mike Malla of Boston will appear in another eight-round event.

Wrestling Tomorrow Night  
Four attractive wrestling bouts are on the program at the American Legion hall, Dutton street, when the local post will make its initial bow in promoting a wrestling carnival.

In arranging its carnival show the legioners have signed up a number of favorites and, judging from the interest being displayed in the card, a large crowd will turn out to greet the grapplers.

In the main event Gardini, the Italian champion, who has been creating a sensation in Boston and who recently won the title of champion of the world, will take on a local fighter, Jim Prokos of Lowell and Paul Romanoff will appear in another number. Fighting Mike of Lowell and Fred Anderson will clash in another, and Bob Johnson of the car shops and L. Chad will perform in the other event.

POLO LEAGUE STANDING  
New Bedford 11 63.1  
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Providence 9 56.7  
Hartford 8 60.0  
Worcester 7 44.0  
Lowell 6 37.3

GAMES TONIGHT  
Fall River at New Bedford.  
POLO NOTES  
The New Bedford Whalers, league leaders, and now regarded as certain winners of the pennant, barring accidents, will play here tomorrow night.

New Bedford is the greatest attraction around the circuit. Not only is this due to the fact that the club has been leading the league since the opening of the season, but also because the members are a scrappy, aggressive bunch.

Bill Dugan and Duke Dufresne are a pair of "heavy" actors and they keep going from the sound of the first until the final whistle.

Lowell, however, has the distinction of winning more games over the Whalers at New Bedford than any other team in the league. In fact, Lowell has won as many games at New Bedford as all the other teams combined.

New Bedford has lost but six home games all season and Lowell has won three of them.

Plans for the "Boh-Hat Night" next Tuesday are progressing. Mayor Thompson has been invited to attend and extend the league since the only Lowell man playing in the league.

KANSAS SHADES  
RITCHIE MITCHELL  
MILWAUKEE, March 10.—Rocky Kansas of Buffalo, was awarded the newspaper decision over Ritchie Mitchell, Milwaukee lightweight boxer at the end of a 10-round, no decision bout here last night.

While a majority of the newspaper critics gave Kansas the better of the bout some thought that Mitchell had an even break and he was given the nod as to credit Mitchell with a shade. Both scored knock-downs in the fifth round.

The first round appeared to be Kansas' and the second Mitchell's. The third and fourth looked about even; Kansas had the advantage in the fifth, sixth and seventh. The eighth and ninth rounds were close and the 10th appeared to be a toss-up.

Kansas was warned by the referee repeatedly for delivering a back-hand punch which was held in Wisconsin rules. Kansas weighed 131½ and Mitchell, 135½.

ROBERTS STOPS GUNBAT SMITH  
NEW YORK, March 10.—At Roberts of New York knocked out Gunbat Smith of California in the 10th round of a 12-round match here last night. Smith weighed 152½ pounds and Smith, 178.

A short fight upturned to the jaw-tailed bout. Roberts, who out-boxed his opponent from the start, secured a knock-down in the second round, on which Smith took a count of nine. The local pugilist fought cautiously, however, apparently contented with outpointing his opponent.

In the ninth, Smith was forced to take a count of seven.

When he answered the bell for the 10th round, Roberts smothered him with rights and lefts.

HOB ROVER BEATEN  
NEW ORLEANS, March 10.—Martin Bob of New Orleans was the victor over Hob Rover in a fast 15-round bout here last night.

"HABBIT" MARIANVILLE GOES SOUTH  
PITTSBURGH, March 10.—"Habit" Marianville, recently acquired by the Pittsburgh Baseball club from Boston, left here today for the Pirates spring training camp at West Baden, Ind. He reported to the club in good condition, being only three pounds over his playing weight and he said that his arm, injured in an automobile accident last season, was in good shape.

He arrived here yesterday and conferred with Barney Dreyfus, president, and other officials of the club. During the evening he was the honor guest at a supper meeting of the Portmont Stone League.

NEW BEDFORD vs. Lowell  
Crescent Ring—Friday Night  
BOXING  
BILLY DUFFY OF EVERETT VS. JIMMY DUFFY OF NEW YORK  
Other Bouts  
CRESCENT A. A.—TONIGHT  
Wrestling Carnival  
Legion Hall, Dutton St.  
GARDINI vs. HASSAN  
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## LOOK OUT BABE!



DOROTHY HODGENS  
Lajoie, former baseball star, once told Dorothy Hodgins that she was the only girl he ever knew who could play ball. Now Dorothy is a diamond star at Wilson college, Chambersburg, Pa., and aspires to be the "Home Run Queen" of baseball—a rival of Babe Ruth.

New Cardinals Consecrated  
Continued  
Philadelphia, Josef Schulte of Cologne, and Michael von Fauthhaber of Munich, who yesterday received the first insignia of their new rank in the hierarchy of the church, took their places today in the ranks of the cardinals and assumed in full the dignities conferred on them by Pope Benedict.

Since Monday, these prelates have been given flattering attention in the Holy City, but today they were the center about which revolved a pageant which impressed the eyes of a distinguished congregation.

Long before 10 o'clock the hour for the beginning of the ceremony, Roman citizens, peasants and princes, diplomats and priests, gathered before the great bronze doors of the St. Peter's. When the doors were opened the throng was admitted to the hall, where distinguished visitors were shown to tribunals and others were given places on the benches arranged about the great room. At the right of the pope's throne were small boxes reserved for members of his family, representatives of royal families, and highly honored knights of Malta and Knights of the Holy Sepulchre.

Cheers for the Pope  
The minutes seemed to pass slowly as the throng awaited the beginning of the ceremonies, which was signaled by distant cheers for the pope. Through a who-doo came strains of music, and then there entered a majestic procession led by white and gold figures bearing a processional cross with precious stones. In bewildering succession, there came the Sistene choir, led by Abbe Perosi, Abbots and heads of great religious orders; priests and monks in black, white and brown; cardinals in their scarlet robes; Swiss Guards and Palatine guards, all forming a background for the supreme pontiff, who rode in the Sedia Gestatoria borne by crimson uniformed attendants.

New Cardinals Enter  
After the pope had seated himself on the throne, members of the cardinalate ranged themselves around him in the order of seniority, the cardinal bishops and priests on his right, and the cardinal deacons on his left. Then came a hush of expectation over the assembly broken by the opening of the doors to the Sistene chapel adjoining the cardinal deacons entered. They had just taken the oath of office before Cardinal Cagiano de Azzevedo Ottaviano, chancellor of the church.

As they entered the three cardinals bowed low three times and then advanced slowly to the throne where they knelt and did homage to the pontiff. When they rose they took their places on the right of the throne. The three new cardinals received the embrace and welcoming kiss from each member of the Sacred college and were conducted to the foot of the throne where they knelt and did homage to the pontiff. The ceremony closed with the papal benediction.

Many Americans Present  
The cardinals returned to the Sistene chapel, where the newly created members of the sacred college prostrated themselves before the altar while the cardinal deacons chanted "Te Deum" and Cardinal Vannetti intoned the "Super Creatus Cardinales." When they rose they were again embraced by their colleagues.

Archbishop Dougherty returned to the American college, where he received many friends during the afternoon. One of the last callers was a papal messenger who brought to the cardinal the red hat.

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